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### EXPORT SUMMARY

Horticultural exports in December 1984 were \$205 million, down 3 percent from December 1983. Fiscal year (FY) to date (October-December) exports, at \$704 million, were approximately equal to the previous year's performance. Large gains in tree nut and onion exports offset declines in export earnings from apples, grapefruit, lemons, pears, lettuce and hops. October-December tree nut earnings were the highest since FY 1981. The volume of shelled almond exports were more than double last year's level. Most of the increase was destined for the Soviet Union and West Germany, but exports to other European countries and to Japan also increased. Walnut exports recovered from last year's low level. Heavy export movement of onions resulted from large sales to Japan and Korea, but shipments to Canada, Panama, Singapore and Australia were down. Apple exports to the Middle East, Canada, Colombia and Taiwan were down sharply. A better showing in Hong Kong and the reopening of the Brazilian market were not sufficient to make up for losses elsewhere. December produced a \$3 million gain in raisin exports because of gains in the European Community and Japan. The outlook for horticultural product exports during the remainder of FY 1985 has been dampened by the recent freeze in Florida which has reduced the exportable supplies of fresh vegetables, grapefruit and citrus juices.

For further information on items in this circular, contact the Horticultural and Tropical Products Division, (202) 447-6590. All measures in this report, unless noted otherwise, are metric. One kilogram (kg)=2.2046 lbs., 1 metric ton=2,204.62 lbs., 1 liter=0.2642 gallon, and 1 hectare=2.471 acres.

### MARKET ACCESS AND OPPORTUNITIES

--On December 27, 1984, Japan announced an additional grapefruit juice import quota of 5,500 metric tons. This increased the total Japanese fiscal year 1984 (April 1984-March 1985) quota to 6,400 tons, 400 tons higher than JFY 1983. As in the past, the quotas will be allocated to the following four domestic associations of juice manufacturers:

- (1) Japan Fruit Juice Association (Nihon Kajyu Kyokai).
- (2) All Japan Soft Drink Industry Association (Zen Sei In).
- (3) National Federation of Agricultural Cooperatives Association (Zen-Noh).
- (4) Japan Fruit Juice Agricultural Cooperative Association (Kajya Nokyo Ren).

--In January, Peru prohibited the importation of wine, a measure aimed at protecting the domestic industry and conserving foreign exchange. In 1984 the United States exported 12,000 liters (3,000 gallons) of wine worth \$21,000 to Peru.

--The European Community has temporarily suspended import restrictions on sweet cherries marinated in alcohol and intended for the manufacture of chocolate products. The quota is open January 1-June 30, 1985, during which time the usual 32 percent duty will be lowered to 10 percent. The quota was allocated among member states with Germany receiving 72 percent of the quota. Insufficient Community supplies prompted the action.

--West Germany is a good and growing market for frozen blueberries, importing more than 9,700 metric tons during January-September 1984. The largest supplier of frozen blueberries is Canada, with a market share of nearly one-third. The U.S. share stood at about 13 percent. According to trade sources, about 60 percent of the frozen blueberries imported by West Germany are used by the canning industry. Most of the remainder are destined for the baking, catering and dairy industries (for fruit yogurt, etc.). Only a small percentage is sold directly to the consumer. In general, the West German consumer and the processing industry prefer "wild" blueberries because they are perceived to be more flavorful than cultivated varieties. This is especially important for the baking and dairy industries. Trade sources indicate that, for high-quality products, cultivated blueberries are only used when not enough wild ones are available, or when the price gap between the two is too wide.

### MARKET PROMOTION ACTIVITIES

--The second biennial NASDA National Food and Agricultural Exposition will be held April 22-24, 1985 in Kansas City, Missouri. This international show, co-sponsored by the National Association of State Departments of Agriculture and the Foreign Agricultural Service, is specifically designed for exporters. It is expected to attract over 1,500 buyers from 76 foreign countries. Special features will include an emphasis on value-added products from the food and nursery products industries and a seminar, "How to Export to the Middle East Market." For more information contact F. Farell Higbee, Suite 710, 1616 H Street, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20006, Tel: (202) 628-1566.

--The U.S. Agricultural Counselor in Tokyo sponsored several American food exhibitions in 1984 which helped Japanese importers expand their distribution of American food products. The exhibitions, held in Kanazawa, Sapporo and Nagoya, included over 500 products, drew more than 3,600 Japanese food trade representatives, and resulted in over 2,000 new business relationships. Additional shows are planned for 1985.

--As anticipated, Taiwan reduced duties on 13 horticultural tariff classifications in January 1985 as part of legislation which lowered tariffs on over 1,000 items. Horticultural products included are: shelled walnuts, inshell walnuts, sweet almonds, prepared or preserved almonds, shelled or inshell pistachios and filberts, prunes in boxes, prunes in bulk, hops, lupulin, canned corn, apple juice, grape juice, cranberry juice, vegetable juices, and prepared vegetables (excluding asparagus, mushrooms, tomato juice, and baby food preparations). The old and new tariffs for these products can be found on page 2 of the September 1984 Horticultural Products circular.

### COMMODITY UPDATE

--The outlook is bleak for English hop producers because of global surpluses, large domestic stocks, increased foreign competition and static domestic end use. Most English hops are used for bitter beers which are facing stagnating demand while lagers take an increased share of the market. Growers are attempting to deal with these problems through long term sales contracts and efforts to make their market pooling scheme mandatory. Hops output declined by 8 percent in 1984, and further declines are likely. Exports in the first 9 months of 1984 were 1,500 metric tons, with West Germany and Ireland the principal destinations.

--The Tunisian citrus industry is gearing up for increased production and exports despite disappointing results during the current season. Citrus production in 1984/85 fell 12 percent from a year earlier to 193,000 tons because of unfavorable weather during the flowering period. However, a recently constructed, irrigation system is expected to boost average yields and push the citrus crop to 250,000 tons by 1986. Two-thirds of Tunisia's citrus harvest is made up of oranges, almost all blood type, and the balance is mostly tangerines and lemons. Tunisian citrus exports, almost entirely oranges, are expected to decline somewhat during the current season to about 25,000 tons. The Tunisian Government hopes to spur citrus exports in the near-term by making subsidized financing available to exporters and by providing an export subsidy equivalent to roughly \$50 per ton. Shipments to France, Tunisia's principal export outlet, are excluded from the export subsidy.

--The 1984 orange harvest in Sao Paulo Brazil is now estimated at 190 million boxes (90 pounds each), 5 million boxes above our previous estimate. Early season dryness retarded fruit sizing, but this was apparently offset by a strong export demand for orange juice which encouraged processors and growers to seek maximum fruit utilization. While orange production is significantly larger than a year earlier, the 1984 crop is still less than the 1982 harvest. Favorable growing conditions and excellent grove care point to a increase in Sao Paulo's 1985 orange crop, perhaps to 220 million boxes. Production of frozen concentrated orange juice (FCOJ) during the current processing season is now estimated at 726,000 metric tons at 65° brix (equivalent to 250 million gallons at 42° brix) up from the previous estimate of 685,000 tons. The additional juice is expected to be shipped to the United States to help make up for the shortfall in Florida's production. The Brazilian suspension on export registrations, initiated a few days after the freeze in Florida last month, remained in place as of February 4. At the time of the suspension, export registrations were believed to approximate 600,000 tons. Brazilian FCOJ exports during marketing year 1984/85 (July-June) are expected to reach 715,000 tons. Brazil's minimum export price remained at \$1,800 per ton, when registrations were closed. Actual sales prices, however, increased sharply after the freeze in Florida. Brazilian juice delivered in the United States is now being quoted at roughly \$2,000 per metric ton, cif, before payment of duty.

SAO PAULO: SUPPLY AND DISTRIBUTION  
ORANGES AND FCOJ, 1982-1984 1/

Item	Season		
	1982	1983	1984
	-----Million Boxes 2/-----		
Oranges			
Production.....	195	180	190
Fresh Consumption.....	33	33	13
Fresh Exports.....	2	2	2
Processed 3/.....	160	145	175
	-----1,000 Metric Tons 4/-----		
FCOJ--65° brix			
Beginning Stocks.....	20	102	10
Production.....	550	508	726
Domestic Consumption.....	16	16	10
Exports.....	452	584	715
Ending Stocks (June 30)...	102	10	11
FCOJ yield			
(kg/box of oranges).....	3.44	3.50	4.15

1/ Harvest and processing normally begins in late April or early May. The marketing season for FCOJ begins on July 1 of each year indicated. 2/ 40.8 kilos or 90 pounds. 3/ Includes 3 to 7 million boxes of tangerines and tagors. 4/ One metric ton of 65° brix equals 344.8 gallons of 42° brix concentrate.

--Spain's citrus crop experienced extensive damage from the January cold wave that blanketed most of the Europe. Based on preliminary reports, citrus losses are expected to total about 600,000 to 700,000 tons, approximately 20 percent of the pre-freeze forecast of 3.4 million tons. Losses to oranges and tangerines are estimated at 450,000 to 500,000 tons, and losses to lemons at 150,000 to 175,000 tons. Substantial tree damage is believed to have occurred. Total Spanish citrus exports during the current 1984/85 marketing season are expected to fall to 1.6 million tons, compared to the pre-freeze forecast of 2.2 million. European demand for U.S. citrus should be bolstered by the Spanish losses, but increased movement will be moderated by January freeze losses in Florida and the strength of the dollar against European currencies.

--Afghanistan plans to donate 10 tons of raisins for distribution to striking British coal miners. The donation is part of an Afghan effort to develop the UK dried fruit market.

--In Mexico, area planted to winter season vegetables for export to the United States is similar to last season. Plantings on private farms in Sinaloa State, the origin of most vegetables destined for export, were as follows on Dec. 31:

SINALOA: AREA PLANTED TO SELECTED VEGETABLES  
(Hectares)

Crop and Status	1983/84	1984/85
Tomatoes		
Total.....	12,746	12,741
Not ready for harvest....	9,158	9,993
Damaged.....	70	---
Bell Peppers		
Total.....	4,968	4,837
Not ready for harvest....	3,768	3,826
Damaged.....	---	31
Squash		
Total.....	2,521	2,076
Not ready for harvest....	1,367	1,587
Damaged.....	374	60

SOURCE: Confederation of Agricultural Associations of Sinaloa State-CAADES

Comparable data for cucumbers and eggplants are not available. Note that the decline in squash plantings is negated by the large amount of damaged plantings last season. Even though there was no change in tomato plantings, area not yet ready for harvest on December 31 was up 9 percent. Heavy rains in late December and again in mid-January caused limited damage in the Los Mochis area of Northern Sinaloa and little or no damage in Culiacan, the largest producing area. Starting from a six-year low, total private farm vegetable and melon plantings in Sinaloa increased 38 percent in 1982/83 and a further 15 percent in 1983/84.

## WORLD TOMATO PRODUCTS SITUATION

Production: Production of tomatoes for processing in the major producing countries in 1984 is estimated at a record 17.2 million tons, up 15 percent from 1983. Although the United States, Mexico, and Greece reduced area planted for processing tomatoes, greater yields led to increased production. In Israel, late planting due to unfavorable weather caused decreased yields. In addition, area planted was lower because of the declining profitability of processing tomato production.

Italy's 1984 processing tomato crop is estimated at a record 5.0 million tons, up 14 percent from last season. The EC subsidy has made tomato production more profitable in many non-traditional growing areas, particularly Veneto in the north and Puglia and Calabria in the South.

Production was up about 31 percent in Canada and 24 percent in Greece. Mexico's processed production increased due to wind and rain damage to fresh tomato production which forced producers to sell a large portion of their product to the processing plants. In Taiwan, production is estimated up 71 percent in 1984. Production in 1985 is expected to decrease due to large supplies and lower national targets.

TOMATOES FOR PROCESSING: AREA, YIELD, AND PRODUCTION  
IN MAJOR PRODUCING COUNTRIES, 1982-1984 1/

COUNTRY	YEAR	AREA (HA)	YIELD (MT/HA)	PRODUCTION (1000 MT)
UNITED STATES	1982	119,505	55.40	6,621
	1983	118,178	53.96	6,377
	1984	118,117	58.98	6,967
CANADA	1982	11,269	42.33	477
	1983	10,950	34.98	383
	1984	12,283	40.71	500
MEXICO	1982	5,000	40.00	200
	1983	6,000	31.67	190
	1984	5,500	43.64	240
ITALY	1982	124,000	24.65	3,056
	1983	138,000	31.88	4,400
	1984	150,000	33.33	5,000
GREECE	1982	22,400	52.59	1,178
	1983	28,093	45.03	1,265
	1984	27,942	56.19	1,570
PORTUGAL	1982	17,500	26.91	471
	1983	20,000	26.65	533
	1984	22,000	28.18	620
SPAIN	1982	22,250	37.71	839
	1983	23,000	38.17	878
	1984	28,200	38.30	1,080
FRANCE	1982	8,900	42.36	377
	1983	8,300	39.52	328
	1984	8,400	40.48	340
ISRAEL	1982	4,900	48.98	240
	1983	6,160	47.89	295
	1984	5,700	47.37	270
TAIWAN	1982	5,296	71.37	378
	1983	7,711	47.98	370
	1984	8,541	73.76	630
TOTAL ABOVE	1982	341,020	40.58	13,837
	1983	366,392	40.99	15,019
	1984	386,683	44.52	17,217

1/ Preliminary for 1984.

Tomato Paste: The 1984 tomato paste pack in ten major countries increased by an estimated 18 percent. Much of this increased supply is expected to be carried over into the next season. Nevertheless, Spanish, Portuguese, Greek and Italian exports may show some growth. Greek and Italian packers have quality problems with large portions of this season's pack. Low prices induced Israeli packers to suspend export sales of tomato paste for a temporary period during 1984. Forty-five percent of Israel's exports went to the United States in 1983. Paste output in Mexico and Taiwan in the 1985/86 season, just beginning in those countries, is expected to decline.

Canned Tomatoes: Canned tomato production increased about 20 percent in 1984. Italy, the United States and Spain continued to produce over 90 percent of total output. Most of the increase in Italian processing tomato production was utilized for canned tomato pack. Supplies of canned tomatoes increased about 286,000 tons. More than half of that total is equivalent to the expected ending stock level. One-third of total Italian production is exported. In Spain production increased by more than a third. Spanish processors are not optimistic about exports because of large supplies in other processing countries, particularly the United States.

Government Policies: A 17 to 22 percent reduction in EC processing subsidies for most tomato products for the 1984/85 season was compounded by changing the basis for the subsidy calculation from a gross weight to net weight basis. The change in calculation chopped another 8 to 10 percent, on the average, off of the subsidy. Favorable European Currency Unit (ECU) exchange rates tempered the decline in terms of Italian lire, Greek drachmae and French francs.

ITALY: EC PROCESSING TOMATO SUBSIDIES  
(Dollars Per Metric Ton) 1/

Season and Product	MGP 2/	Processing Subsidy		
		Net Weight 3/	Raw Weight: Equivalent:	Net Cost of Tomatoes To Processor 4/
1983/84				
Paste.....	85	428	68	17
Whole Peeled.....				
San Marzano.....	142	178	134	8
Roma and similar:	107	128	96	11
Non-Whole peeled..	88	63	47	41
1984/85				
Paste.....	76	297	47	29
Whole Peeled.....				
San Marzano.....	127	116	87	40
Roma and similar:	97	85	64	33
Non-Whole peeled..	80	54	40	40

1/ Lire converted to dollars at average September exchange sales of 1,601 in 1983 and 1,868 in 1984. 2/ Minimum grower price processor must pay in order to qualify for subsidy. 3/ Subsidy paid on gross weight basis in 1983/84 but figures shown have been converted to an estimated net weight basis. 4/ Excluding processor finance costs. The subsidy is not paid until the end of the marketing year.

The 1984/85 subsidies in France were similar to Italy, but the subsidies in Greece were 21 percent lower for paste and 38 to 40 percent lower for canned tomatoes. Minimum grower prices in Greece were 14 to 17 percent lower. This season the EC will increase the subsidy paid to producers of retail size tomato paste packs by 3.75 to 15 percent in order ease their transition to net weight calculation system. Probably less than half of the EC's tomato paste production is in these smaller size packs. These extra subsidies are to be phased out completely after the 1986 season.

Even though the EC subsidy has been sharply reduced, the post-subsidy price paid for processing tomatoes in Italy in 1984 was below that paid in most non-EC countries.

PRICES OF TOMATOES FOR PROCESSING, 1984  
(U.S. Dollars Per Metric Ton)

Country or States	Price to Grower	Net Cost To Processor <u>1/</u>
California.....	60	60
China, Taiwan.....	46	46
Greece.....	63*	27*
Israel.....	67	67
Italy.....	76*-127	29*-40
Portugal.....	33	2/
Spain.....	38*-54	38-54

\* For paste only.

1/ After payment of subsidy if applicable. 2/ Subsidy for 1984 has not been announced. The subsidy, raw weight equivalent, in 1983 was about \$3.70.

U.S. Trade: U.S. tomato paste exports decreased 6 percent in the 1983/84 season. Shipments to Canada, the largest U.S. market, decreased slightly, while exports to secondary markets, such as the Carribbean, Middle East and Japan dropped dramatically. Exports to Saudi Arabia declined for tomato paste and canned tomatoes, possibly in response to Taiwan's entry into the Middle East market. Paste exports in July-December 1984 were 12 percent less than the same period last season.

Canned tomato exports declined 16 percent in 1983/84, with shipments to Canada alone down 26 percent. Export volume to Canada and Saudi Arabia continued to decline in the first six months of this season. Although tomato sauce exports increased slightly in 1983/84, it is expected that they will fall during this marketing year. Through December this season, total exports fell 23 percent.

Last season, imports increased for all three commodities compared to the 1982/83 season. This year, due to increased production in the United States, imports should decline. Tomato paste imports from Mexico and Portugal, which supplied 61 percent of paste imports in 1983/84, decreased 69 and 35 percent, respectively, in the first half of the current season compared with the same period in 1983/84. Although canned tomato imports from Italy and Taiwan have increased so far this season, total imports are forecast to decline, but by less than tomato paste imports. Tomato sauce imports increased 20 percent in 1983/84. Israel's share fell from 81 percent of the total in 1982/83 to 67 percent last season. Overall tomato sauce imports are expected to decline in 1984/85 with Israel holding on to a two-thirds share.

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UNITED STATES: IMPORTS OF TOMATO PASTE  
(Metric Tons and Dollars)

ORIGIN	QUANTITY		VALUE	
	7/82-6/83	7/83-6/84	7/82-6/83	7/83-6/84
MEXICO	12,724	24,144	9,840,209	14,670,504
PORTUGAL	10,431	23,016	8,396,026	16,979,746
ITALY	6,648	6,407	5,712,598	4,924,320
ISRAEL	12,014	5,482	9,154,537	3,755,031
CHINA (TAIWAN)	11,206	5,414	8,671,123	3,916,748
SPAIN	4,567	5,284	3,661,668	4,071,279
TURKEY	3,071	2,362	2,129,723	1,533,805
BRAZIL	2,422	1,626	1,995,037	1,217,919
PERU	1,033	1,154	840,159	879,715
FRANCE	1,477	1,147	1,033,660	759,275
CHILE	1,678	1,137	1,325,465	815,448
OTHER	1,665	1,318	1,243,044	929,897
WORLD TOTAL	68,938	78,491	54,003,249	54,453,687

UNITED STATES: EXPORTS OF CANNED TOMATOES  
(Metric Tons and Dollars)

ORIGIN	QUANTITY		VALUE	
	7/82-6/83	7/83-6/84	7/82-6/83	7/83-6/84
CANADA	6,304	4,649	3,775,636	2,709,122
SPAIN	0	300	0	226,715
JAPAN	93	230	86,540	194,560
SAUDI ARABIA	455	225	331,095	171,860
BERMUDA	95	215	92,849	205,424
HONG KONG	113	139	94,603	122,209
INDONESIA	31	109	17,230	60,548
SINGAPORE	75	92	51,474	71,232
OMAN	0	75	0	54,400
FR PACIFIC ISLANDS	24	42	22,518	37,655
UNITED ARAB EMIRATES	28	37	20,845	26,028
BARBADOS	27	25	26,440	20,339
TRINIDAD-TOBAGO	118	8	100,603	6,400
OTHER	184	160	127,856	126,685
WORLD TOTAL	7,547	6,305	4,747,689	4,033,177

UNITED STATES: EXPORTS OF TOMATO SAUCE  
(Metric Tons and Dollars)

ORIGIN	QUANTITY		VALUE	
	7/82-6/83	7/83-6/84	7/82-6/83	7/83-6/84
CANADA	1,127	815	813,407	570,045
JAPAN	658	678	559,302	572,120
FR PACIFIC ISLANDS	264	373	245,333	340,591
HONG KONG	142	225	139,634	154,183
SAUDI ARABIA	156	186	138,705	163,845
NETHERLANDS ANTILLES	62	90	53,777	70,911
AUSTRALIA	38	85	47,394	73,544
UNITED KINGDOM	26	77	26,133	59,033
OMAN	1	63	1,408	64,157
TRINIDAD-TOBAGO	59	66	64,826	75,693
BERMUDA	49	61	53,794	73,552
SWEDEN	34	30	28,690	24,674
SINGAPORE	62	25	49,258	20,737
COLOMBIA	39	14	22,004	13,760
DOMINICAN REPUBLIC	54	7	33,814	9,996
MEXICO	42	2	29,662	1,521
OTHER	134	217	137,573	242,006
WORLD TOTAL	2,945	3,021	2,444,714	2,530,368

1/ Excludes Chili.

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	7/82-6/83	7/83-6/84	7/82-6/83	7/83-6/84
ITALY	27,743	37,726	12,834,218	18,658,552
SPAIN	23,299	34,872	8,841,906	13,679,641
ISRAEL	13,207	23,551	6,674,382	11,941,711
CHINA (TAIWAN)	2,803	10,645	1,366,653	5,134,161
CANADA	954	3,784	480,015	3,223,185
PORTUGAL	230	176	151,143	91,333
OTHER	392	435	185,117	247,412
WORLD TOTAL	68,628	111,189	30,533,434	52,975,995

 UNITED STATES: IMPORTS OF TOMATO SAUCE  
 (Metric Tons and Dollars)

ORIGIN	QUANTITY		VALUE	
	7/82-6/83	7/83-6/84	7/82-6/83	7/83-6/84
ISRAEL	9,142	9,128	4,820,522	4,858,288
SPAIN	51	1,773	29,473	949,567
ITALY	770	1,169	455,914	770,029
CHINA (TAIWAN)	319	494	215,882	232,640
PORTUGAL	613	397	417,915	209,077
CANADA	235	367	140,087	165,095
OTHER	140	224	97,348	122,879
WORLD TOTAL	11,269	13,551	6,177,141	7,307,575

## TOMATO PRODUCTS

TOMATO PASTE 1/: PRODUCTION, SUPPLY, AND DISTRIBUTION  
IN SELECTED COUNTRIES  
(Metric Tons, Net Weight) 2/

COUNTRY AND YEAR 1/	BEGINNING STOCKS	PRODUCTION	IMPORTS	TOTAL SUPPLY	EXPORTS	DOMESTIC CONSUMPTION	ENDING STOCKS	TOTAL DISTRIBUTION
CANADA 3/								
1982/83.....	2,367	16,279	25,331	43,977	0	39,471	4,506	43,977
1983/84.....	4,506	12,037	30,460	47,003	0	41,740	5,263	47,003
1984/85.....	5,263	16,603	26,000	47,866	0	42,000	5,866	47,866
FRANCE								
1982/83.....	21,700	50,000	17,000	88,700	14,800	63,700	10,200	88,700
1983/84.....	10,200	40,200	42,800	93,200	8,900	79,200	5,100	93,200
1984/85.....	5,100	45,800	46,000	96,900	10,000	83,200	3,700	96,900
GREECE								
1982/83.....	96,304	162,050	0	258,354	137,048	21,298	100,008	258,354
1983/84.....	100,008	177,792	0	277,800	185,200	23,150	69,450	277,800
1984/85.....	69,450	238,908	0	308,358	203,720	23,150	81,488	308,358
ISRAEL								
1982/83.....	12,236	17,159	0	29,395	11,731	3,220	14,444	29,395
1983/84.....	14,444	18,400	0	32,844	13,156	8,648	11,040	32,844
1984/85.....	11,040	15,640	0	26,680	3,680	8,280	14,720	26,680
ITALY								
1982/83.....	13,800	313,880	3,086	330,766	296,461	32,305	2,000	330,766
1983/84.....	2,000	380,000	920	382,920	354,200	27,000	1,720	382,920
1984/85.....	1,720	410,000	1,000	412,720	370,000	32,000	10,720	412,720
PORTUGAL								
1982/83.....	0	76,635	0	76,635	55,924	2,500	18,211	76,635
1983/84.....	18,211	98,828	0	117,039	88,246	2,500	26,293	117,039
1984/85.....	26,293	107,000	0	133,293	115,000	2,500	15,793	133,293
SPAIN								
1982/83.....	0	68,000	0	68,000	43,960	21,040	3,000	68,000
1983/84.....	3,000	70,000	1,230	74,230	47,670	25,560	1,000	74,230
1984/85.....	1,000	90,000	0	91,000	50,000	31,000	10,000	91,000
CHINA (TAIWAN)								
1982/83.....	2,508	43,961	0	46,469	42,278	490	3,701	46,469
1983/84.....	3,701	39,700	0	43,401	42,804	500	97	43,401
1984/85.....	97	62,500	0	62,597	53,500	700	8,397	62,597
UNITED STATES 4/								
1982/83.....	2,488	376,061	68,938	447,487	10,993	420,804	15,690	447,487
1983/84.....	15,690	381,290	78,491	475,471	10,377	443,127	21,967	475,471
1984/85.....	21,967	447,116	36,000	505,083	9,300	470,000	25,783	505,083
TOTAL								
1982/83.....	151,703	1,149,525	114,355	1,415,583	629,695	613,828	172,060	1,415,583
1983/84.....	172,060	1,243,247	153,901	1,569,208	766,753	660,325	142,130	1,569,208
1984/85.....	142,130	1,464,367	109,004	1,715,501	836,200	699,830	179,471	1,715,501

1/ United States - 32 percent salt free solids, other countries - 28 percent-30 percent solids. 2/ One metric ton is equivalent to 51.6 cases of No. 6/10's, 32 percent salt free solids. 3/ Marketing years beginning June in Greece, July in Canada, Italy, Portugal, Spain and the United States, August in France and ending October in Mexico and November in Taiwan. Israel is on a calendar year basis. Data for 1984 are forecasts. 4/ Incomplete production and stock data include only bulk and institutional sizes, California only. Exports and Imports are all inclusive.

CANNED TOMATOES: PRODUCTION, SUPPLY, AND DISTRIBUTION  
IN SELECTED COUNTRIES  
(Metric Tons, Net Weight ) 1/

COUNTRY AND YEAR 2/	BEGINNING STOCKS	PRODUCTION	IMPORTS	TOTAL SUPPLY	EXPORTS	DOMESTIC CONSUMPTION	ENDING STOCKS	TOTAL DISTRIBUTION
CANADA								
1982/83.....	6,147	75,555	22,437	104,139	0	80,102	24,037	104,139
1983/84.....	24,037	50,878	25,158	100,073	0	87,800	12,273	100,073
1984/85.....	12,273	73,614	22,000	107,887	0	88,000	19,887	107,887
FRANCE								
1982/83.....	21,100	46,100	21,300	88,500	2,900	81,700	3,900	88,500
1983/84.....	3,900	39,800	56,800	100,500	1,000	94,600	4,900	100,500
1984/85.....	4,900	45,400	56,000	106,300	2,000	99,300	5,000	106,300
GREECE								
1982/83.....	3,018	9,875	62	12,955	3,967	6,988	2,000	12,955
1983/84.....	2,000	8,875	178	11,053	1,598	9,011	444	11,053
1984/85.....	444	12,603	257	13,304	2,219	0,206	879	13,304
ISRAEL								
1982/83.....	7,200	24,008	0	31,208	17,258	4,950	9,000	31,208
1983/84.....	9,000	27,000	0	36,000	22,950	7,650	5,400	36,000
1984/85.....	5,400	24,300	0	29,700	20,700	4,950	4,050	29,700
ITALY 3/								
1982/83.....	130,640	846,400	766	977,806	309,033	635,653	33,120	977,806
1983/84.....	33,120	1,100,000	138	1,133,258	381,800	650,458	101,000	1,133,258
1984/85.....	101,000	1,300,000	100	1,401,100	450,000	660,000	291,100	1,401,100
SPAIN								
1982/83.....	4,600	201,000	0	205,600	45,080	155,520	5,000	205,600
1983/84.....	5,000	202,000	100	207,100	86,260	117,840	3,000	207,100
1984/85.....	3,000	280,000	0	283,000	70,000	193,000	20,000	283,000
CHINA (TAIWAN)								
1982/83.....	2,011	6,142	4	8,157	6,098	12	2,047	8,157
1983/84.....	2,047	8,360	4	10,411	9,949	0	462	10,411
1984/85.....	462	24,700	0	25,162	25,162	0	0	25,162
UNITED STATES								
1982/83.....	93,665	683,565	68,628	845,858	7,547	684,283	154,028	845,858
1983/84.....	154,028	670,868	111,189	936,085	6,305	768,673	161,107	936,085
1984/85.....	161,107	764,789	95,000	1,020,896	4,500	846,000	170,396	1,020,896
TOTAL								
1982/83.....	268,381	1,892,645	113,197	2,274,223	391,883	1,649,208	233,132	2,274,223
1983/84.....	233,132	2,107,781	193,567	2,534,480	509,862	1,736,032	288,586	2,534,480
1984/85.....	288,586	2,525,406	173,357	2,987,349	574,581	1,901,456	511,312	2,987,349

1/ One metric ton is equivalent to 91.859 cases of 24/303's. 2/ Marketing years beginning June in Greece, July in Canada, Italy, Spain and the United States, August in France and ending November in Taiwan. Israel is on a calendar year basis. Data for 1984 are forecasts. 3/ Does not include crushed tomatoes.

WORLD TREE NUT UPDATE

Almonds: World almond production in 1984 is expected to exceed the USDA September estimate by 4 percent. The increase is attributed to an upward revision of the U.S. crop to a record 263,000 metric tons which more than offsets smaller than anticipated harvests in Italy, Portugal and Spain. World almond supplies are up 27 percent from 1983/84, and the United States is holding 78 percent of the total.

Exports of almonds from Spain are currently lagging last year's and total almond exports in 1984/85 are projected to decline nearly 40 percent. Trade sources report that the current high export prices for some varieties reflect heavy speculation due to the smaller crop rather than active export demand.

SPAIN: ALMOND PRICES  
(dollars per metric ton, bagged, f.o.b.)

Commodity	December 1983	December 1984
Unselected Valencias.....	3,100	2,800
Larguetas.....	3,350	3,500
Marconas.....	3,400	3,120
Unshelled Almonds (mollar)...	870	1,280

So far this season, the United States has proved to be a strong competitor in the export market for shelled almonds. Sales in this category during July-December 1984 were up 65 percent over last season. Although the average unit value in all categories is down, export earnings for all types of almonds were 32 percent above the 7/83-12/83 period.

U.S. ALMOND EXPORTS, 1983 AND 1984

Almonds	July-December 1983			July-December 1984		
	Quantity (metric tons)	Value (dollars)	Average unit value (dollars)	Quantity (metric tons)	Value (dollars)	Average unit value (dollars)
Shelled.....	32,951	99,747,381	3,027	54,249	153,364,948	2,827
Prepared and preserved...	12,467	42,629,616	3,419	10,929	36,689,022	3,357
Inshell.....	1,754	4,365,409	2,489	1,771	3,534,228	1,996

**Filberts:** Production in the major producing countries dropped well below the off-cycle levels previously anticipated and are now forecast 34 percent below the 1983 crop. The cyclical downturn in production, coupled with poor weather conditions, precipitated a dramatic decline in Italian production (54 percent). Exports are expected to decline by a similar amount.

**Walnuts:** World commercial production was revised down 5 percent from the October 1984 estimate and is marginally above the 1983 crop. Adverse weather conditions figured prominently in the downward revisions for France, Italy and the United States. France's exports for 1984/85 are forecast 65 percent below 1983/84 levels, while imports are expected to be more than twice the 1983/84 levels. U.S. export earnings from walnuts so far this season (August-December 1984) are 33 percent above last season.

## U.S. WALNUT EXPORTS, 1983 AND 1984

Walnuts	August-December 1983			August-December 1984		
	Quantity :(metric tons):	Value :(dollars):	Average unit value: :(dollars):	Quantity :(metric tons):	Value :(dollars):	Average unit value: :(dollars):
Shelled.....	2,646	7,090,539	26,780	3,820	8,280,557	2,168
Inshell.....	25,366	32,213,595	1,270	34,021	43,992,053	1,293

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TREE NUTS: PRODUCTION, SUPPLY, AND DISTRIBUTION  
(Metric Tons)1/

COUNTRY AND YEAR 2/	BEGINNING STOCKS	PRODUCTION	IMPORTS	TOTAL SUPPLY	EXPORTS	DOMESTIC CONSUMPTION	ENDING STOCKS	TOTAL DISTRIBUTION
-----FILBERTS-----								
ITALY								
1982/83.....	1,500	115,000	1,833	118,333	76,899	41,034	400	118,333
1983/84.....	400	120,000	2,259	122,659	81,653	40,506	500	122,659
1984/85.....	500	55,000	20,000	75,500	37,000	38,000	500	75,500
SPAIN								
1982/83.....	4,900	14,000	---	18,900	9,500	7,000	2,400	18,900
1983/84.....	2,400	31,000	---	33,400	19,600	9,000	4,800	33,400
1984/85.....	4,800	13,000	---	17,800	6,000	8,500	3,300	17,800
TURKEY								
1982/83.....	100,000	220,000	---	320,000	205,700	4/ 69,300	45,000	320,000
1983/84.....	45,000	420,000	---	465,000	240,000	90,000	135,000	465,000
1984/85.....	135,000	300,000	---	435,000	250,000	130,000	55,000	435,000
UNITED STATES								
1982/83.....	1,088	17,100	7,810	25,998	3,888	18,685	3,425	25,998
1983/84.....	3,425	7,440	9,330	20,195	3,436	15,886	873	20,195
1984/85.....	873	12,020	9,200	22,093	3,400	17,993	700	22,093
TOTAL								
1982/83.....	107,488	366,100	9,643	482,231	295,978	136,019	51,225	482,231
1983/84.....	51,225	578,440	11,589	641,254	344,689	155,431	141,173	641,254
1984/85.....	141,173	380,020	29,200	550,393	296,400	193,493	61,500	550,393

# TREE NUTS

## TREE NUTS: PRODUCTION, SUPPLY, AND DISTRIBUTION (Metric Tons)<sup>1/</sup>

COUNTRY AND YEAR <sup>2/</sup>	BEGINNING STOCKS	PRODUCTION	IMPORTS	TOTAL SUPPLY	EXPORTS	DOMESTIC CONSUMPTION	ENDING STOCKS	TOTAL DISTRIBUTION
-----ALMONDS-----								
ITALY								
1982/83.....	11,000	16,000	1,574	28,574	10,218	14,856	3,500	28,574
1983/84.....	3,500	29,000	1,359	33,859	16,866	15,493	1,500	33,859
1984/85.....	1,500	13,000	4,000	18,500	4,000	14,000	500	18,500
MOROCCO								
1982/83.....	300	3,500	---	3,800	1,100	2,500	200	3,800
1983/84.....	200	5,300	---	5,500	1,300	3,900	300	5,500
1984/85.....	300	5,300	---	5,600	1,300	4,000	300	5,600
PORTUGAL								
1982/83.....	2,919	4,200	3	7,122	1,291	1,800	4,031	7,122
1983/84.....	2,919	3,500	---	7,531	3,220	2,000	2,311	7,531
1984/85.....	2,311	3,800	---	6,111	3,500	2,200	411	6,111
SPAIN								
1982/83.....	32,100	60,000	---	92,100	45,000	26,000	21,100	92,100
1983/84.....	21,100	32,000	100	53,200	29,000	22,000	1,300	53,200
1984/85.....	1,300	40,000	500	41,800	18,000	20,000	3,800	41,800
TURKEY								
1982/83.....	2,300	12,000	---	14,300	300	10,000	4,000	14,300
1983/84.....	4,000	12,700	---	16,700	2,300	10,400	4,000	16,700
1984/85.....	4,000	9,300	---	13,300	2,300	10,300	700	13,300
UNITED STATES								
1982/83.....	73,035	157,400	318	230,753	80,379	3/ 68,862	81,512	230,753
1983/84.....	81,512	109,770	92	191,374	80,568	68,424	42,382	191,374
1984/85.....	42,382	263,900	68	305,450	115,000	97,100	93,350	305,450
TOTAL								
1982/83.....	121,654	253,100	1,895	376,649	138,288	121,518	114,343	376,649
1983/84.....	114,343	192,270	1,551	308,164	133,254	123,117	51,793	308,164
1984/85.....	51,793	334,400	4,568	390,761	144,100	147,600	98,861	390,761
-----WALNUTS-----								
FRANCE								
1982/83.....	0	31,000	1,900	32,900	11,110	14,800	7,000	32,900
1983/84.....	7,000	18,000	2,300	27,300	11,500	15,800	0	27,300
1984/85.....	0	14,200	5,000	19,200	4,000	15,200	0	19,200
INDIA								
1982/83.....	400	17,900	0	18,300	10,423	6,100	1,777	18,300
1983/84.....	1,777	19,800	0	21,577	12,900	7,000	1,677	21,577
1984/85.....	1,677	21,000	0	22,677	12,700	8,000	1,977	22,677
ITALY								
1982/83.....	200	12,000	5,184	17,384	2,732	14,552	100	17,384
1983/84.....	100	12,000	4,560	16,660	1,592	14,968	100	16,660
1984/85.....	100	12,000	4,500	16,660	2,000	14,500	100	16,660
TURKEY								
1982/83.....	2,000	72,000	0	74,000	4,000	67,000	3,000	74,000
1983/84.....	3,000	73,000	0	76,000	5,000	68,000	3,000	76,000
1984/85.....	3,000	70,000	0	73,000	4,000	67,000	2,000	73,000
UNITED STATES								
1982/83.....	38,272	212,300	392	250,964	42,533	135,738	72,693	250,964
1983/84.....	72,693	180,500	100	253,293	42,012	154,331	56,950	253,293
1984/85.....	56,950	190,500	30	247,480	47,230	157,000	43,250	247,480
TOTAL								
1982/83.....	40,872	345,200	7,476	393,548	70,788	238,190	84,570	393,548
1983/84.....	84,570	303,300	6,960	394,830	73,004	260,099	61,727	394,830
1984/85.....	61,727	307,700	9,530	379,017	69,930	261,700	47,327	379,017

1/ Almonds are on ■ shelled basis. Filberts and walnuts are on an inshell basis. 2/ Marketing years are as follows: Almonds - July-June United States, Morocco; Sept.-Aug. Spain, Italy, Turkey; Jan.-Dec. Portugal. Filberts - Sept.-Aug. Spain, Italy, Turkey; Aug.-July United States. Walnuts - Oct.-Sept. France, India, Turkey; Sept.-Aug. Italy; Aug.-July United States. 3/ Includes substandard crops diverted to oil and losses as follows: 1982, 7,243 tons; 1983, 40,000 tons; 1984, 70,000 tons. 4/ Includes quantities crushed for oil as follows: 1982, 25,000 tons; 1983, 40,000 tons; 1984, 70,000 tons.

WORLD PISTACHIO SITUATION 1/

Record crops in the United States and Syria boosted 1984 pistachio production in the major producing countries, excluding Iran, 12 percent above 1983. Estimated production in Iran, the world's foremost supplier of pistachios, was 28,000, 42,000 and 23,000 metric tons in 1980, 1981 and 1982, respectively. Although official production and trade data are unavailable, trade sources estimate the 1983 crop at 60,000 tons and the 1984 crop substantially below that. Italy and Turkey experienced sharp declines in their 1984 crops due to the highly cyclical nature of pistachios. Overall supplies in countries other than Iran are up 19 percent, and exports are expected to increase about 15 percent.

Despite expansion in Greece's pistachio growing area, production has not increased accordingly. The majority of pistachio supplies is consumed domestically, and negligible quantities are exported, mainly to the European Community. Italy's 1984 crop is negligible due to the usual cyclical downturn, but large carry-in stocks substantially augmented total supplies for 1984/85. Both imports and exports are expected to increase slightly.

Favorable weather conditions and new production from trees just beginning to bear combined to make Syria's 1984 crop the largest on record. Domestic use accounts for most of Syria's production as exports are prohibited. Imports of shelled pistachios are expected to increase 25 percent in 1984/85 in order to keep pace with domestic needs. Although the Government of Syria neither sets pistachio prices nor regulates its domestic trade, imports of inshell pistachios continue to be banned, and importers are currently waiting for 21 months before letters of credit can be issued for shelled pistachio imports.

Turkey's 1984 crop is estimated at half the 1983 level due to an off year in the production cycle. These cyclical fluctuations are expected to be less drastic as the pistachio growing area continues to expand. In recent years prices for pistachios on the domestic market have reportedly increased at a very rapid rate, hence, despite ample supplies in 1983, exports remained small.

The 1984 crop in the United States accounts for 55 percent of total production for the five reporting countries. Exports during 1984/85 are expected to fall well below earlier estimates because of competition from low-priced Iranian nuts. An export increase of about 50 percent from 1983/84 is now forecast. Total imports during 1984/85 are expected to double 1983/84 levels, with imports from Iran returning to pre-1980 levels. Imports in September-December 1984 were almost triple 1983 levels with, most of the increase coming from Iran.

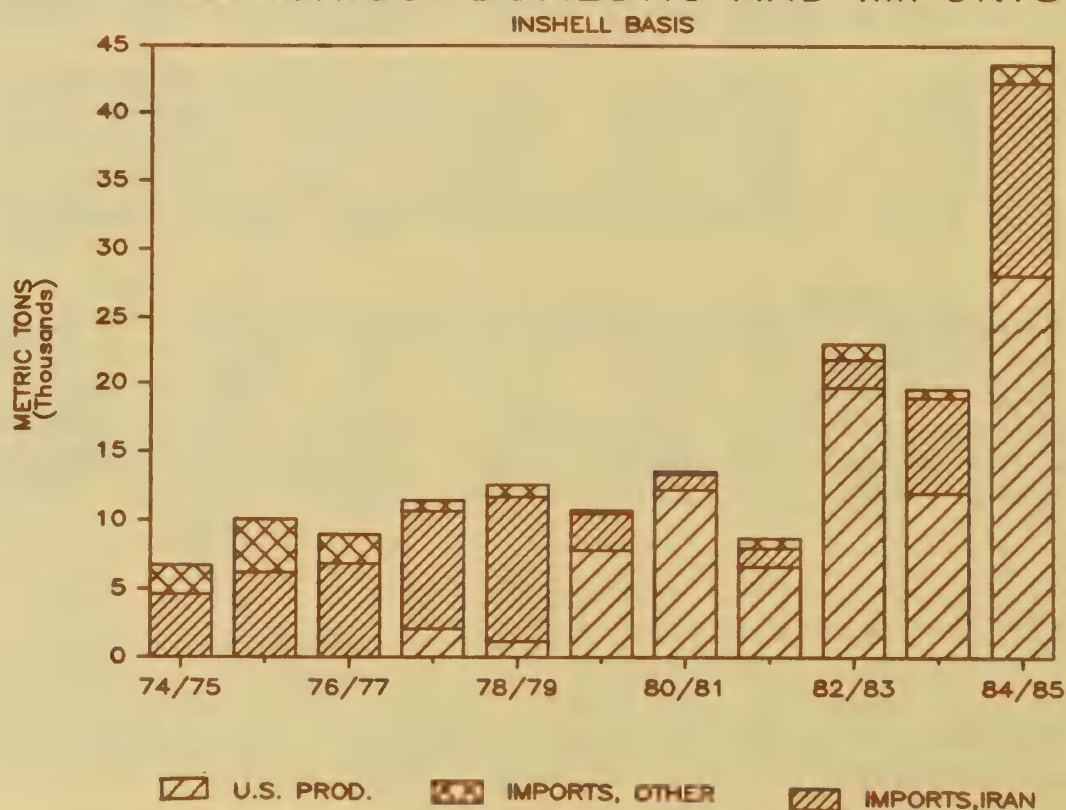
1/ Iran, the world's largest pistachio producer, is not included in this report because verifiable estimates of production and trade are unavailable.

# PISTACHIOS

## U.S. PISTACHIO TRADE, 1983 AND 1984

Item	September-December 1983			September-December 1984		
	Quantity	Value	Average	Quantity	Value	Average
	:(metric tons):	:(dollars):	unit value:	:(metric tons):	:(dollars):	unit value:
			:(dollars):			:(dollars):
<u>Imports</u>						
Shelled.....	119	47,404	398	4	30,361	
Inshell.....	1,094	5,027,096	4,595	3,979	16,559,462	4,162
<u>Exports</u>						
Shelled.....	154	806,328	5,236	85	351,353	4,086
Prepared and						
preserved..	57	336,625	5,906	109	470,117	4,313
Inshell.....	202	906,662	4,488	442	1,606,525	3,635

## PISTACHIOS: DOMESTIC AND IMPORTS



PISTACHIOS: PRODUCTION, SUPPLY, AND DISTRIBUTION  
(Metric Tons, Inshell Basis)

COUNTRY AND YEAR 1/	BEGINNING STOCKS	PRODUCTION	IMPORTS	TOTAL SUPPLY	EXPORTS	DOMESTIC CONSUMPTION	ENDING STOCKS	TOTAL DISTRIBUTION
GREECE								
1981/82.....	50	2,300	1	2,351	231	2,070	50	2,351
1982/83.....	50	1,600	2	1,652	64	1,488	100	1,652
1983/84.....	100	2,600	250	2,950	180	2,520	250	2,950
1984/85.....	250	2,100	200	2,550	100	2,350	100	2,550
ITALY								
1981/82.....	100	4,500	80	4,680	1,263	517	2,900	4,680
1982/83.....	2,900	200	148	3,248	900	648	1,700	3,248
1983/84.....	1,700	4,000	92	5,792	1,187	705	3,900	5,792
1984/85.....	3,900	200	100	4,200	1,300	700	2,200	4,200
SYRIA								
1981/82.....	881	9,200	3,079	13,160	0	10,000	3,160	13,160
1982/83.....	3,160	8,000	470	11,630	0	7,670	3,960	11,630
1983/84.....	3,960	9,200	800	13,960	0	13,000	960	13,960
1984/85.....	960	12,000	1,000	13,960	0	13,500	460	13,960
TURKEY								
1981/82.....	4,000	21,000	0	25,000	4,900	11,100	9,000	25,000
1982/83.....	9,000	11,000	0	20,000	2,000	11,000	7,000	20,000
1983/84.....	7,000	18,000	0	25,000	3,000	12,000	10,000	25,000
1984/85.....	10,000	9,000	0	19,000	3,000	12,000	4,000	19,000
UNITED STATES								
1981/82.....	3,538	6,600	2,060	12,198	486	11,077	635	12,198
1982/83.....	635	19,700	3,196	23,531	2,965	15,214	5,352	23,531
1983/84.....	5,352	12,000	7,577	24,929	1,869	20,160	2,900	24,929
1984/85.....	2,900	28,100	15,480	46,480	2,800	35,980	7,700	46,480
TOTAL								
1981/82.....	8,569	43,600	5,220	57,389	6,880	34,764	15,745	57,389
1982/83.....	15,745	40,500	3,816	60,061	5,929	36,020	18,112	60,061
1983/84.....	18,112	45,800	8,719	72,631	6,236	48,385	14,110	72,631
1984/85.....	18,010	51,400	16,780	86,190	7,200	64,530	14,460	86,190

1/ Marketing years are as follows: Oct.-Sept. Turkey, Greece; Sept.-Aug. Italy, Syria, United States.  
United States.

February 1985

Horticultural and Tropical Products Division, FAS/USDA

U.S. IMPORTS OF INSHELL PISTACHIOS  
(Metric Tons and Dollars)

ORIGIN	QUANTITY		VALUE	
	9/82-8/83	9/83-8/84	9/82-8/83	9/83-8/84
IRAN	2,048	6,768	10,771,459	28,656,489
TURKEY	575	71	2,152,077	295,729
GERMANY, FED. REP. OF	64	39	305,294	166,385
UNITED ARAB EMIRATES	57	68	297,694	276,243
AFGHANISTAN	1	0	3,150	0
CANADA	0	0	0	1,038
BELGIUM-LUXEMBOURG	0	0	0	1,300
FRANCE	0	0	0	515
LEBANON	0	0	530	1,100
ISRAEL	0	23	0	87,627
SAUDI ARABIA	0	22	0	119,790
WORLD TOTAL	2,746	6,992	13,530,204	29,606,216

# PISTACHIOS

## U.S. EXPORTS OF SHELLED PISTACHIOS (Metric Tons and Dollars)

DESTINATION AREAS AND COUNTRIES	QUANTITY		VALUE	
	9/82-8/83	9/83-8/84	9/82-8/83	9/83-8/84
<b>NORTH AMERICA</b>				
CANADA	119		244,822	554,012
MEXICO	1		7,765	4,510
SUBTOTAL	120		252,587	558,522
<b>CARIBBEAN</b>				
TRINIDAD-TOBAGO	0	1	0	2,648
NETHERLANDS ANTILLES	1	0	3,210	0
SUBTOTAL	1	1	3,210	2,648
<b>SOUTH AMERICA</b>				
COLOMBIA	1	0	9,627	0
VENEZUELA	13	0	91,000	0
BRAZIL	0	0	903	0
PARAGUAY	0	0	627	0
SUBTOTAL	14	0	102,157	0
<b>EUROPEAN COMMUNITY</b>				
UNITED KINGDOM	16	34	117,414	232,206
NETHERLANDS	2	0	11,000	0
FRANCE	51	58	241,547	283,630
GERMANY, FED. REP. OF	60	41	218,999	220,500
ITALY	1	18	8,625	48,000
SUBTOTAL	130	151	597,585	784,336
<b>OTHER WESTERN EUROPE</b>				
NORWAY	0	0	0	3,025
SWITZERLAND	0	0	0	930
SUBTOTAL	0	0	0	3,955
<b>MIDDLE EAST</b>				
ISRAEL	4	62	21,641	73,393
JORDAN	7	0	46,800	0
KUWAIT	0	10	0	69,300
SAUDI ARABIA	5	0	27,260	0
UNITED ARAB EMIRATES	0	0	950	0
SUBTOTAL	16	72	96,651	142,693
<b>OTHER AFRICA</b>				
REP. SOUTH AFRICA	1	8	8,977	56,898
<b>OTHER ASIA</b>				
SINGAPORE	1	1	2,525	6,000
BRUNEI	1	0	4,000	0
CHINA (MAINLAND)	10	0	14,700	0
HONG KONG	3	3	16,075	12,000
JAPAN	33	3	123,602	23,675
SUBTOTAL	48	7	160,902	41,675
<b>AUSTRALIA &amp; OCEANIA</b>				
AUSTRALIA	0	15	1,782	105,050
NEW ZEALAND	1	0	4,950	0
SUBTOTAL	1	15	6,732	105,050
<b>WORLD TOTAL</b>	<b>298</b>	<b>374</b>	<b>1,228,801</b>	<b>1,695,777</b>

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DESTINATION AREAS AND COUNTRIES	QUANTITY		VALUE	
	9/82-8/83	9/83-8/84	9/82-8/83	9/83-8/84
<b>NORTH AMERICA</b>				
CANADA	33		174,199	315,050
MEXICO	29		158,900	158,026
SUBTOTAL	33	87	175,099	473,076
<b>CARIBBEAN</b>				
LEeward-WINDWARD IS.	0	0	532	0
NETHERLANDS ANTILLES	3	0	21,750	0
SUBTOTAL	3	0	22,282	0
<b>CENTRAL AMERICA</b>				
HONDURAS	0	1	0	3,231
PANAMA	1	0	9,983	0
SUBTOTAL	1	1	9,983	3,231
<b>SOUTH AMERICA</b>				
COLOMBIA	4	0	15,213	0
VENEZUELA	1	0	5,625	0
ECUADOR	1	0	5,835	0
CHILE	11	0	68,750	0
BRAZIL	4	1	34,400	4,750
SUBTOTAL	10	12	61,073	73,500
<b>EUROPEAN COMMUNITY</b>				
UNITED KINGDOM	71	23	398,335	96,241
NETHERLANDS	145	0	746,780	0
BELGIUM-LUXEMBOURG	37	11	192,000	55,660
FRANCE	208	49	1,081,178	251,974
GERMANY, FED. REP. OF	308	4	1,555,870	10,500
ITALY	18	28	98,950	123,715
GREECE	24	0	126,720	0
SUBTOTAL	811	115	4,199,833	538,090
<b>OTHER WESTERN EUROPE</b>				
NORWAY	1	0	3,868	1,760
SWITZERLAND	25	0	32,604	158,751
CYPRUS	0	0	153,366	0
SUBTOTAL	34	25	189,838	160,511
<b>MIDDLE EAST</b>				
LEBANON	67	0	340,876	0
ISRAEL	207	7	1,128,337	41,567
JORDAN	7	0	16,800	0
KUWAIT	2	0	12,250	0
SAUDI ARABIA	155	34	841,361	161,409
UNITED ARAB EMIRATES	1	1	8,478	9,228
OMAN	1	5	3,666	33,350
BAHRAIN	2	5	12,264	31,834
SUBTOTAL	442	52	2,364,032	277,988
<b>OTHER AFRICA</b>				
EGYPT	12	0	63,300	0
<b>OTHER AFRICA</b>				
REP. SOUTH AFRICA	36	36	162,516	236,246
<b>SOUTH ASIA</b>				
INDIA	130	10	519,516	102,876
<b>OTHER ASIA</b>				
THAILAND	0	0	0	2,472
MALAYSIA	0	0	0	759
SINGAPORE	20	0	121,000	2,383
CHINA (MAINLAND)	130	15	261,800	31,680
HONG KONG	11	2	26,033	8,654
JAPAN	64	145	305,631	747,431
SUBTOTAL	225	162	714,464	793,379
<b>AUSTRALIA &amp; OCEANIA</b>				
AUSTRALIA	93	67	483,185	408,280
NEW ZEALAND	1	2	3,180	10,220
SUBTOTAL	94	69	486,365	418,500
<b>WORLD TOTAL</b>	<b>1,820</b>	<b>611</b>	<b>8,968,301</b>	<b>3,076,797</b>

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COMMODITY REGION/COUNTRY (BEG. MKTG. YR.)	DECEMBER 1983	DECEMBER 1984	SEASON TO DATE PREVIOUS	SEASON TO DATE CURRENT	LAST FULL SEASON	COMMODITY REGION/COUNTRY (BEG. MKTG. YR.)	DECEMBER 1983	DECEMBER 1984	SEASON TO DATE PREVIOUS	SEASON TO DATE CURRENT	LAST FULL SEASON
FRESH FRUIT						MID. EAST & N. AFR	-	-	201	-	1,264
APPLES.....(JUL)	31,861	25,116	127,721	111,800	222,360	LAT. AMER., EX CARR	15	76	23	137	464
CANADA.....	2,870	1,589	21,471	15,122	38,855	BERMUDA & CARRIB..	70	35	192	60	1,151
EC-TEN.....	2,384	909	7,983	4,328	14,821	OTHER.....	2	-	2	-	23
UNITED KINGDOM...	681	700	5,238	3,643	10,298	GRAPES.....(JUN)	7,035	8,251	101,159	100,623	111,391
IRELAND.....	520	43	1,120	322	2,248	CANADA.....	3,621	3,060	81,542	76,951	89,806
NETHERLANDS.....	1,183	166	1,625	363	2,165	EC-TEN.....	52	30	146	359	428
OTHER WEST EUROPE..	4,969	3,028	7,858	6,953	11,421	OTHER WEST EUROPE..	146	137	372	247	489
EAST ASIA & PACIF..	13,239	9,778	49,352	50,728	91,022	EAST ASIA & PACIF..	1,085	2,884	12,773	17,993	14,048
CHINA (TAIWAN)...	6,313	3,914	20,257	16,090	37,838	HONG KONG.....	491	1,081	5,992	8,517	6,560
HONG KONG.....	3,600	4,152	10,677	15,216	23,500	SINGAPORE.....	249	331	2,862	3,578	3,024
MALAYSIA.....	947	706	5,116	6,099	10,678	JAPAN.....	219	410	1,175	1,649	1,482
SINGAPORE.....	1,437	708	6,242	8,265	10,328	MID. EAST & N. AFR	17	3	1,949	678	1,950
MID. EAST & N. AFR	3,776	6,053	27,056	25,006	48,008	LAT. AMER., EX CARR	1,504	1,568	2,863	3,229	2,986
SAUDI ARABIA.....	2,953	4,361	16,193	17,306	27,764	BERMUDA & CARRIB..	610	568	1,505	1,159	1,663
UNITED ARAB EMIRA	663	943	6,663	6,623	15,581	OTHER.....	-	-	9	6	20
LAT. AMER., EX CARR	3,513	2,676	9,879	6,810	12,449	PEARS.....(JUL)	4,294	3,272	20,802	17,828	34,334
BERMUDA & CARRIB..	1,097	1,077	3,985	2,802	5,514	CANADA.....	1,012	906	9,837	9,668	17,843
OTHER.....	13	6	138	51	270	EC-TEN.....	418	-	625	-	1,380
AVOCADOS.....(OCT)	351	414	1,247	1,300	12,847	OTHER WEST EUROPE..	1,496	911	2,447	2,441	3,430
CANADA.....	254	236	763	763	2,814	EAST ASIA & PACIF..	215	70	392	258	477
EC-TEN.....	45	13	339	75	7,152	MID. EAST & N. AFR	492	746	5,023	3,004	7,881
FRANCE.....	6	-	206	6	5,507	SAUDI ARABIA.....	352	277	3,484	1,695	4,902
UNITED KINGDOM...	39	13	128	58	1,339	UNITED ARAB EMIRA	120	156	941	928	2,316
OTHER WEST EUROPE..	-	-	9	4	287	LAT. AMER., EX CARR	506	521	1,976	2,115	2,685
EAST ASIA & PACIF..	44	157	119	285	2,098	BERMUDA & CARRIB..	154	119	499	342	636
JAPAN.....	44	150	119	276	2,092	OTHER.....	-	-	3	-	3
MID. EAST & N. AFR	-	-	2	-	2	PRUNES/PLUMS..(JAN)	49	37	19,055	26,659	19,055
LAT. AMER., EX CARR	4	7	8	172	465	CANADA.....	-	-	14,523	16,756	14,523
BERMUDA & CARRIB..	4	-	6	2	28	EC-TEN.....	-	-	289	496	289
STRAWBERRIES..(JAN)	53	42	12,083	13,499	12,083	OTHER WEST EUROPE..	-	-	431	243	431
CANADA.....	19	11	9,313	10,581	9,313	EAST ASIA & PACIF..	-	1	3,324	8,274	3,324
EC-TEN.....	14	16	965	574	965	HONG KONG.....	-	-	2,038	5,441	2,038
OTHER WEST EUROPE..	2	3	272	193	272	CHINA (TAIWAN)...	-	-	602	545	602
EAST ASIA & PACIF..	2	1	1,447	1,990	1,447	SINGAPORE.....	-	-	411	1,465	411
JAPAN.....	2	1	1,379	1,890	1,379	MID. EAST & N. AFR	25	-	71	55	71
MID. EAST & N. AFR	-	1	22	89	22	LAT. AMER., EX CARR	21	5	205	626	205
LAT. AMER., EX CARR	-	0	8	3	8	BERMUDA & CARRIB..	2	31	212	209	212
BERMUDA & CARRIB..	16	10	50	64	50	OTHER.....	-	-	-	1	-
OTHER.....	-	-	6	5	6	KIWI FRUIT.....(OCT)	-	537	-	870	3,871
CHERRIES, SW&TT(MAY)	-	38	6,957	7,295	6,957	CANADA.....	-	95	-	253	751
CANADA.....	-	27	4,584	4,020	4,584	EC-TEN.....	-	96	-	185	618
EC-TEN.....	-	-	303	436	303	NETHERLANDS.....	-	83	-	83	417
OTHER WEST EUROPE..	-	-	1	34	1	GERMANY, FED. REP	-	-	-	-	109
EAST ASIA & PACIF..	-	10	2,051	2,775	2,051	UNITED KINGDOM...	-	-	-	90	92
JAPAN.....	-	10	1,230	1,482	1,230	OTHER WEST EUROPE..	-	42	-	42	478
HONG KONG.....	-	-	659	1,168	659	AUSTRIA.....	-	11	-	11	258
MID. EAST & N. AFR	-	-	2	12	2	SWEDEN.....	-	13	-	13	176
LAT. AMER., EX CARR	-	-	11	9	11	EAST ASIA & PACIF..	-	304	-	390	1,979
BERMUDA & CARRIB..	-	1	6	10	6	JAPAN.....	-	196	-	248	1,803
GRAPEFRUIT.....(SEP)	18,208	16,614	65,427	51,359	262,023	MID. EAST & N. AFR	-	-	-	-	14
CANADA.....	3,618	3,531	14,702	13,737	41,299	LAT. AMER., EX CARR	-	-	-	-	8
EC-TEN.....	6,776	7,902	29,039	18,596	67,072	BERMUDA & CARRIB..	-	-	-	-	17
FRANCE.....	4,180	3,659	17,152	9,428	40,311	OTHER.....	-	-	-	-	6
NETHERLANDS.....	1,425	3,490	8,313	6,937	19,414	CANNED FRUIT					
OTHER WEST EUROPE..	111	238	1,102	650	2,716	APRICOTS.....(JUN)	15	18	215	299	314
EAST ASIA & PACIF..	7,691	4,897	20,540	18,252	150,587	CANADA.....	-	-	23	39	42
JAPAN.....	7,291	4,524	19,609	17,347	146,976	EC-TEN.....	1	5	12	65	19
MID. EAST & N. AFR	-	-	5	-	47	OTHER WEST EUROPE..	1	3	8	46	9
LAT. AMER., EX CARR	3	45	3	97	199	EAST ASIA & PACIF..	9	3	67	70	87
BERMUDA & CARRIB..	9	1	24	26	56	JAPAN.....	9	-	44	17	53
OTHER.....	-	-	12	-	46	HONG KONG.....	-	-	12	16	16
LEMONS.....(AUG)	14,528	12,954	59,990	52,588	152,961	MID. EAST & N. AFR	2	6	91	67	124
CANADA.....	1,149	1,234	5,393	4,443	12,417	SAUDI ARABIA.....	-	-	70	49	96
EC-TEN.....	847	502	4,271	682	7,339	LAT. AMER., EX CARR	2	1	8	5	16
OTHER WEST EUROPE..	313	78	1,105	165	1,628	BERMUDA & CARRIB..	1	-	6	6	13
EAST ASIA & PACIF..	10,840	11,137	47,636	47,258	129,394	OTHER.....	-	-	1	-	1
JAPAN.....	9,434	10,192	43,662	43,826	119,932	CHERRIES, MARAC(JUL)	139	140	875	1,051	1,626
LAT. AMER., EX CARR	1,343	1	1,390	20	1,905	CANADA.....	21	19	99	145	136
BERMUDA & CARRIB..	37	2	195	19	277	EC-TEN.....	3	10	35	25	69
OTHER.....	-	-	-	-	0	OTHER WEST EUROPE..	3	3	15	30	30
LIMES.....(APR)	517	394	2,048	1,778	2,444	EAST ASIA & PACIF..	89	104	541	533	1,092
CANADA.....	412	341	1,577	1,451	1,920	CHINA (TAIWAN)...	16	50	149	180	428
EC-TEN.....	66	35	305	210	327	HONG KONG.....	53	31	180	131	280
UNITED KINGDOM...	48	-	211	104	233	SINGAPORE.....	-	-	65	49	163
FRANCE.....	6	26	51	88	51	MID. EAST & N. AFR	7	0	75	35	111
OTHER WEST EUROPE..	5	2	48	16	48	LAT. AMER., EX CARR	4	4	58	229	96
EAST ASIA & PACIF..	14	-	75	41	76	BERMUDA & CARRIB..	11	1	49	53	88
LAT. AMER., EX CARR	-	16	-	18	3	OTHER.....	1	-	3	2	4
BERMUDA & CARRIB..	20	-	43	40	70	CHERRIES, SW&TT(JUL)	75	156	1,161	964	2,107
ORANGES.....(NOV)	29,159	24,436	56,033	51,025	367,628	CANADA.....	3	-	516	124	620
CANADA.....	15,152	11,907	25,834	24,914	130,269	EC-TEN.....	-	1	76	17	80
EC-TEN.....	4	2	4	2	809	OTHER WEST EUROPE..	4	16	11	56	18
OTHER WEST EUROPE..	-	-	-	-	66	EAST ASIA & PACIF..	60	131	455	704	1,227
EAST ASIA & PACIF..	13,915	12,416	29,776	25,912	233,583	JAPAN.....	31	42	340	303	731
HONG KONG.....	7,029	5,283	17,199	11,323	101,260	CHINA (TAIWAN)...	11	88	15	314	298
JAPAN.....	1,866	2,655	4,243	8,051	83,468	MID. EAST & N. AFR	7	2	64	38	88
						LAT. AMER., EX CARR	-	7	7	20	25

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BERMUDA ■ CARRIB..	1	.	33	4	39	MID. EAST ■ N. AFR	30	30	223	143	548
OTHER.....	.	.	0	.	■	LAT. AMER., EX CARR	416	324	820	912	1,410
PEACHES.....(JUN)	1,040	577	10,912	8,340	15,896	BERMUDA ■ CARRIB..	■	46	494	250	569
CANADA.....	513	238	3,612	3,985	5,621	OTHER.....	.	1	12	207	222
EC-TEN.....	18	7	886	124	937	FRUIT JUICE(1000 GAL SINGLE STR. EQUIV.)					
OTHER WEST EUROPE..	13	21	296	288	549	GRPFRT, SS....(NOV)	123	94	227	184	1,756
EAST ASIA ■ PACIF..	399	204	4,606	3,078	6,564	CANADA.....	25	3	65	69	264
JAPAN.....	230	69	3,122	1,621	4,550	EC-TEN.....	45	48	49	48	636
CHINA (TAIWAN)....	15	76	631	587	763	ITALY.....	.	.	3	.	316
MID. EAST & N. AFR	27	72	908	379	1,311	FRANCE.....	45	39	45	39	278
LAT. AMER., EX CARR	50	29	493	407	750	OTHER WEST EUROPE..	.	.	.	.	13
BERMUDA ■ CARRIB..	20	6	111	78	163	EAST ASIA ■ PACIF..	19	23	57	36	385
OTHER.....	.	.	1	.	■	JAPAN.....	5	11	22	15	234
PEARS.....(JUN)	115	109	858	732	1,265	HONG KONG.....	7	6	23	8	77
CANADA.....	22	3	225	47	305	MID. EAST ■ N. AFR	26	18	43	18	327
EC-TEN.....	.	.	75	46	99	SAUDI ARABIA.....	■	11	11	11	155
OTHER WEST EUROPE..	9	15	36	22	61	UNITED ARAB EMIRA	12	■	23	5	99
EAST ASIA ■ PACIF..	18	27	146	172	271	LAT. AMER., EX CARR	.	2	.	2	4
T TER PACIFIC IS.	4	4	46	62	94	BERMUDA ■ CARRIB..	8	■	13	12	128
JAPAN.....	8	.	42	24	55	ORANGE, SS....(NOV)	372	289	793	562	5,356
■ PACIFIC ISLAND	.	1	24	17	42	CANADA.....	24	20	92	85	808
INDONESIA.....	.	.	6	16	34	EC-TEN.....	37	89	122	175	1,517
MID. EAST ■ N. AFR	47	10	266	178	351	FRANCE.....	37	89	62	175	1,358
SAUDI ARABIA.....	39	4	217	119	257	OTHER WEST EUROPE..	.	.	44	0	102
LAT. AMER., EX CARR	13	22	65	■	94	EAST ASIA ■ PACIF..	87	30	154	88	725
BERMUDA ■ CARRIB..	6	33	44	179	82	JAPAN.....	6	3	21	25	216
OTHER.....	.	.	■	.	1	KOREA, REPUBLIC O	20	9	25	12	150
PINEAPPLES....(JUN)	865	1,000	7,160	6,248	13,656	HONG KONG.....	11	11	44	12	122
CANADA.....	459	546	4,031	4,317	7,469	INDONESIA.....	0	.	2	17	105
EC-TEN.....	183	228	1,418	1,051	3,442	MID. EAST ■ N. AFR	142	119	255	119	1,424
GERMANY, FED. REP	56	102	593	290	1,628	SAUDI ARABIA.....	59	64	123	64	656
NETHERLANDS.....	126	126	435	349	768	UNITED ARAB EMIRA	61	29	79	29	527
FRANCE.....	.	.	150	61	369	LAT. AMER., EX CARR	■	4	13	6	93
ITALY.....	.	.	71	164	345	BERMUDA ■ CARRIB..	72	27	111	84	673
OTHER WEST EUROPE..	61	177	886	264	1,013	NETHL. ANTILLES..	23	5	39	9	236
EAST ASIA ■ PACIF..	139	4	527	196	1,238	LW ■ WW ISLANDS..	20	2	27	13	137
MID. EAST & N. AFR	3	.	41	106	117	BAHAMAS.....	7	5	9	24	90
LAT. AMER., EX CARR	2	16	129	69	152	BERMUDA.....	6	■	11	25	75
BERMUDA ■ CARRIB..	18	28	127	158	225	OTHER.....	1	.	1	4	14
OTHER.....	.	.	1	87	1	GRPFRT, FC....(NOV)	952	798	1,446	1,511	12,259
MIXED FRUIT... (JUN)	1,591	1,470	15,436	14,166	22,897	CANADA.....	240	332	387	565	3,427
CANADA.....	412	615	4,013	5,518	6,608	EC-TEN.....	231	104	328	466	3,607
EC-TEN.....	29	10	765	265	926	GERMANY, FED. REP	78	99	144	410	1,851
OTHER WEST EUROPE..	49	49	607	1,041	1,075	UNITED KINGDOM...	97	4	111	54	1,057
EAST ASIA ■ PACIF..	501	375	5,591	4,615	8,254	NETHERLANDS.....	42	.	56	.	586
JAPAN.....	121	263	1,438	1,467	2,286	OTHER WEST EUROPE..	128	21	231	47	561
HONG KONG.....	55	4	1,686	1,084	2,234	EAST ASIA ■ PACIF..	297	313	401	399	3,549
SINGAPORE.....	95	9	664	451	1,078	JAPAN.....	297	308	399	392	3,415
MID. EAST ■ N. AFR	349	170	2,719	1,239	3,362	MID. EAST ■ N. AFR	44	6	66	6	847
SAUDI ARABIA.....	218	85	1,514	382	1,857	LAT. AMER., EX CARR	11	21	26	23	225
EGYPT.....	65	36	459	525	524	BERMUDA ■ CARRIB..	0	1	5	4	41
LEBANON.....	21	.	393	45	410	OTHER.....	1	.	1	.	1
LAT. AMER., EX CARR	95	158	657	953	1,210	ORANGE, FC....(NOV)	7,012	4,662	11,573	8,380	65,716
BERMUDA ■ CARRIB..	156	94	1,078	515	1,455	CANADA.....	3,628	2,557	5,868	4,877	30,123
OTHER.....	0	.	6	19	6	EC-TEN.....	964	603	1,797	1,224	13,603
DRIED FRUIT						NETHERLANDS.....	242	110	677	110	4,603
RAISINS.....(AUG)	4,573	5,895	23,031	27,759	50,095	GERMANY, FED. REP	369	236	577	329	3,874
CANADA.....	178	128	2,714	2,099	4,283	UNITED KINGDOM...	207	151	271	381	2,692
EC-TEN.....	994	1,722	4,895	8,184	12,062	OTHER WEST EUROPE..	424	368	782	589	3,694
UNITED KINGDOM...	210	569	1,057	2,420	3,462	EAST ASIA & PACIF..	1,484	727	2,039	1,002	9,781
GERMANY, FED. REP	207	367	1,136	2,184	2,899	CHINA (TAIWAN)...	92	326	241	371	2,050
DENMARK.....	71	170	1,068	1,200	2,005	AUSTRALIA.....	861	.	998	.	1,853
NETHERLANDS.....	190	373	787	1,687	1,931	NEW ZEALAND.....	255	157	270	157	1,221
BELGIUM LUXEMBOUR	184	184	494	528	1,225	KOREA, REPUBLIC ■	47	8	47	18	1,157
OTHER WEST EUROPE..	487	424	5,072	4,837	7,705	HONG KONG.....	51	65	150	192	1,095
SWEDEN.....	86	91	2,487	2,272	3,604	MID. EAST & N. AFR	204	.	235	13	1,978
FINLAND.....	37	12	1,381	1,129	1,881	LAT. AMER., EX CARR	112	339	179	536	4,898
NORWAY.....	274	248	861	1,186	1,424	BERMUDA ■ CARRIB..	196	69	673	138	1,639
EAST ASIA ■ PACIF..	2,215	2,576	8,055	10,409	22,978	GRPFRT, FNC....(NOV)	69	62	429	107	2,372
JAPAN.....	1,125	1,774	4,497	7,088	14,095	CANADA.....	47	3	365	13	1,677
CHINA (TAIWAN)...	314	242	778	627	2,481	EC-TEN.....	5	.	8	4	57
MID. EAST & N. AFR	138	140	677	490	899	OTHER WEST EUROPE..	.	.	.	.	5
LAT. AMER., EX CARR	547	857	1,226	1,525	1,641	EAST ASIA ■ PACIF..	8	40	22	45	379
BERMUDA ■ CARRIB..	12	48	384	214	506	JAPAN.....	.	1	6	1	250
OTHER.....	1	0	9	0	20	CHINA (TAIWAN)...	4	.	13	.	85
PRUNES.....(AUG)	4,330	3,057	25,368	22,290	52,724	MID. EAST & N. AFR	4	9	17	9	86
CANADA.....	164	77	1,096	1,049	2,764	LAT. AMER., EX CARR	0	.	■	.	22
EC-TEN.....	2,068	1,163	10,603	10,407	23,620	BERMUDA ■ CARRIB..	6	10	16	36	136
ITALY.....	693	228	3,114	3,480	5,903	OTHER.....	.	.	.	.	9
GERMANY, FED. REP	161	202	2,158	2,318	5,303	ORANGE, FNC....(NOV)	269	396	541	773	4,324
FRANCE.....	267	208	920	1,065	4,639	CANADA.....	23	.	74	32	505
UNITED KINGDOM...	352	335	1,687	1,435	3,167	EC-TEN.....	110	105	151	154	1,017
OTHER WEST EUROPE..	607	441	6,475	4,941	10,821	UNITED KINGDOM...	47	67	47	67	450
SWEDEN.....	133	68	1,205	883	2,893	IRELAND.....	18	18	52	18	162
SPAIN.....	91	118	1,969	1,316	2,661	BELGIUM LUXEMBOUR	.	.	5	1	156
FINLAND.....	36	.	2,042	1,616	2,617	OTHER WEST EUROPE..	.	20	7	52	316
NORWAY.....	297	173	955	679	1,624	EAST ASIA ■ PACIF..	100	226	240	461	1,767
EAST ASIA ■ PACIF..	1,041	975	5,645	4,381	12,769	MALAYSIA.....	13	67	45	147	448
JAPAN.....	668	530	3,819	2,868	9,537	HONG KONG.....	15	97	44	125	439

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SINGAPORE.....	2	1	27	95	373	OTHER PROCESSED VEGETABLES					
JAPAN.....	2	.	18	6	198	CORN, SWEET, FRZ(JUL)	2,510	2,748	17,541	15,319	37,321
MID. EAST & N. AFR	26	13	49	21	294	CANADA.....	34	111	309	704	1,453
LAT. AMER., EX CARR	.	0	.	0	82	EC-TEN.....	178	347	1,927	1,950	3,921
BERMUDA & CARRIB..	10	32	20	53	323	UNITED KINGDOM...	159	290	1,744	1,561	3,441
OTHER.....	.	.	.	.	20	OTHER WEST EUROPE.	135	181	153	391	643
FRESH VEGETABLES						EAST ASIA & PACIF.	1,887	2,090	14,746	12,082	30,745
ASPARAGUS.....(OCT)	.	6	19	60	9,690	JAPAN.....	1,455	1,670	11,865	8,693	25,632
CANADA.....	.	3	10	16	7,505	AUSTRALIA.....	410	409	2,758	3,223	4,804
EC-TEN.....	.	.	.	19	295	MID. EAST & N. AFR	3	4	79	70	141
OTHER WEST EUROPE.	.	.	.	0	116	LAT. AMER., EX CARR	252	2	252	72	264
EAST ASIA & PACIF.	.	2	.	22	1,714	BERMUDA & CARRIB..	20	13	74	50	155
JAPAN.....	.	.	.	20	1,621	FR. FRIES, FRZ.(JUL)	4,050	4,410	25,895	27,591	54,158
MID. EAST & N. AFR	.	.	.	.	0	CANADA.....	.	.	152	88	276
LAT. AMER., EX CARR	.	.	.	.	47	EC-TEN.....	19	.	169	218	1,009
BERMUDA & CARRIB..	.	.	9	3	12	OTHER WEST EUROPE.	.	.	127	17	1,038
OTHER.....	.	.	.	.	1	EAST ASIA & PACIF.	3,658	4,268	23,829	26,294	48,526
LETTUCE.....(OCT)	17,010	10,472	46,534	37,629	161,329	JAPAN.....	2,970	3,889	19,815	22,655	40,155
CANADA.....	14,881	9,196	40,215	33,433	133,247	MID. EAST & N. AFR	129	56	254	384	792
EC-TEN.....	698	349	1,212	1,242	3,813	LAT. AMER., EX CARR	4	9	15	100	36
OTHER WEST EUROPE.	612	104	851	131	2,354	BERMUDA & CARRIB..	239	77	1,331	489	2,461
EAST ASIA & PACIF.	489	562	3,214	1,802	17,716	OTHER.....	.	.	19	.	19
HONG KONG.....	464	538	3,021	1,775	17,218	GARLIC, DRD/DEH(JAN)	274	308	2,639	3,619	2,639
MID. EAST & N. AFR	.	.	15	15	23	CANADA.....	79	86	715	680	715
LAT. AMER., EX CARR	5	22	107	60	414	EC-TEN.....	95	103	857	1,096	857
BERMUDA & CARRIB..	322	239	916	945	3,760	GERMANY, FED. REP	50	34	429	420	429
OTHER.....	4	.	4	.	4	UNITED KINGDOM...	33	21	180	304	180
ONION.....(OCT)	8,063	23,845	28,844	55,804	97,278	NETHERLANDS.....	11	34	164	113	164
CANADA.....	4,945	3,568	14,108	10,536	53,303	OTHER WEST EUROPE.	16	.	183	211	183
EC-TEN.....	17	138	68	164	2,721	EAST ASIA & PACIF.	42	21	464	648	464
EAST ASIA & PACIF.	2,604	19,631	12,255	44,042	34,272	CHINA (TAIWAN)...	.	.	160	.	160
JAPAN.....	783	13,779	7,695	35,059	27,056	AUSTRALIA.....	26	14	153	290	153
HONG KONG.....	1,009	1,084	2,235	3,546	3,855	JAPAN.....	5	.	115	333	115
MID. EAST & N. AFR	.	.	.	.	8	MID. EAST & N. AFR	28	24	122	333	122
LAT. AMER., EX CARR	138	381	1,882	757	4,530	LAT. AMER., EX CARR	10	54	206	486	206
BERMUDA & CARRIB..	309	95	463	241	2,148	BERMUDA & CARRIB..	.	0	12	72	12
OTHER.....	49	32	67	64	296	OTHER.....	3	11	81	93	81
TOMATOES.....(OCT)	7,971	6,910	20,835	18,882	74,229	ONIONS, DRD/DEH(JAN)	1,410	1,662	15,081	17,197	15,081
CANADA.....	7,847	6,740	20,281	18,394	71,746	CANADA.....	245	133	2,197	2,564	2,197
EC-TEN.....	5	10	22	17	76	EC-TEN.....	665	694	7,010	7,280	7,010
OTHER WEST EUROPE.	5	15	7	19	11	UNITED KINGDOM...	283	319	2,793	3,240	2,793
EAST ASIA & PACIF.	0	.	112	34	676	GERMANY, FED. REP	241	213	2,633	2,425	2,633
LAT. AMER., EX CARR	32	23	65	100	347	NETHERLANDS.....	70	128	777	852	777
BERMUDA & CARRIB..	81	117	349	312	1,360	OTHER WEST EUROPE.	219	143	2,250	2,232	2,250
OTHER.....	.	4	.	6	13	SWITZERLAND.....	57	45	666	641	666
CANNED VEGETABLES						SWEDEN.....	67	32	641	568	641
CORN.....(AUG)	4,832	4,598	29,552	24,770	62,007	SPAIN.....	19	20	378	506	378
CANADA.....	90	3	525	34	940	NORWAY.....	47	25	292	271	292
EC-TEN.....	1,436	1,604	13,053	12,073	27,135	EAST ASIA & PACIF.	217	634	2,868	4,162	2,868
UNITED KINGDOM...	424	645	4,862	5,218	9,568	JAPAN.....	122	550	1,464	2,567	1,464
GERMANY, FED. REP	499	722	4,100	4,241	8,261	AUSTRALIA.....	88	46	1,033	1,045	1,033
FRANCE.....	209	166	3,242	2,102	7,354	MID. EAST & N. AFR	6	1	27	10	27
OTHER WEST EUROPE.	653	735	2,564	2,933	5,965	LAT. AMER., EX CARR	25	.	264	363	264
EAST ASIA & PACIF.	2,429	1,950	12,580	8,757	26,002	BERMUDA & CARRIB..	23	3	363	370	363
JAPAN.....	2,031	1,150	9,925	5,216	18,876	OTHER.....	10	47	101	215	101
HONG KONG.....	74	232	628	965	2,654	POTATO, FLK&GRN(OCT)	2,117	1,160	6,322	3,088	18,404
MID. EAST & N. AFR	112	142	346	395	825	CANADA.....	32	129	162	313	798
LAT. AMER., EX CARR	30	129	206	404	513	EC-TEN.....	852	.	2,004	163	3,818
BERMUDA & CARRIB..	47	35	190	168	537	UNITED KINGDOM...	91	.	716	62	1,306
OTHER.....	35	.	89	6	90	FRANCE.....	403	.	549	17	1,110
TOM., PST&PULP.(JUL)	243	160	1,691	1,297	3,412	NETHERLANDS.....	55	.	359	19	635
CANADA.....	42	50	490	467	961	OTHER WEST EUROPE.	163	19	308	42	630
EC-TEN.....	9	.	50	19	128	EAST ASIA & PACIF.	1,014	943	3,619	2,430	12,502
OTHER WEST EUROPE.	3	.	19	4	43	JAPAN.....	960	920	3,461	2,271	11,548
EAST ASIA & PACIF.	99	62	756	563	1,538	MID. EAST & N. AFR	2	14	58	32	96
JAPAN.....	26	18	299	274	744	LAT. AMER., EX CARR	19	54	101	55	306
FR PACIFIC ISLAND	20	8	207	164	373	BERMUDA & CARRIB..	.	.	0	0	8
HONG KONG.....	50	2	152	31	227	OTHER.....	35	.	69	52	246
MID. EAST & N. AFR	67	.	209	47	394	POTATO, DRD/DEH(OCT)	294	395	999	853	3,768
SAUDI ARABIA.....	14	.	129	34	260	CANADA.....	177	261	523	556	2,388
OMAN.....	49	.	49	1	68	EC-TEN.....	87	40	195	80	420
LAT. AMER., EX CARR	0	7	27	61	45	UNITED KINGDOM...	51	21	159	42	321
BERMUDA & CARRIB..	8	40	121	134	283	IRELAND.....	36	.	36	.	54
OTHER.....	15	.	20	2	20	NETHERLANDS.....	.	19	.	38	43
TOMATO, WHOLE.(JUL)	361	214	3,387	2,503	6,305	OTHER WEST EUROPE.	.	2	1	3	79
CANADA.....	233	174	2,350	1,866	4,649	EAST ASIA & PACIF.	24	27	209	143	573
EC-TEN.....	1	.	4	7	6	JAPAN.....	18	27	68	126	283
OTHER WEST EUROPE.	.	.	280	.	302	KOREA, REPUBLIC O	.	.	109	.	148
EAST ASIA & PACIF.	66	10	405	381	639	AUSTRALIA.....	.	.	.	2	68
JAPAN.....	57	3	180	190	230	MID. EAST & N. AFR	.	6	33	6	89
HONG KONG.....	7	2	105	70	139	LAT. AMER., EX CARR	2	3	27	3	48
INDONESIA.....	.	.	36	33	109	BERMUDA & CARRIB..	.	51	1	52	116
SINGAPORE.....	1	1	52	29	92	OTHER.....	5	5	11	9	55
MID. EAST & N. AFR	24	.	183	145	382	TREE NUTS					
LAT. AMER., EX CARR	9	2	10	4	20	ALMONDS, UNSHLD(JUL)	248	284	1,754	1,771	2,652
BERMUDA & CARRIB..	25	29	153	96	299	CANADA.....	25	11	291	130	301
OTHER.....	3	.	3	4	8	EC-TEN.....	1	59	90	158	110

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OTHER WEST EUROPE..	-	30	90	91	105	AUSTRALIA.....	41	60	275	513	800
EAST ASIA & PACIF.	100	54	281	225	475	CHINA (TAIWAN)...	23	34	63	69	398
KOREA, REPUBLIC ..	85	-	205	76	280	MID. EAST & N. AFR	55	20	225	51	323
JAPAN.....	15	36	57	90	161	LAT. AMER., EX CARR	58	78	74	223	85
MID. EAST & N. AFR	57	66	69	159	112	BERMUDA & CARRIB..	5	3	89	8	96
LAT. AMER., EX CARR	25	35	61	260	167	OTHER.....	-	4	16	5	20
BERMUDA & CARRIB..	-	6	2	8	3						
OTHER.....	40	24	870	741	1,378	PISTACHIO, SHLD.(SEP)	36	29	154	86	374
INDIA.....	40	24	870	741	1,378	CANADA.....	2	9	26	30	119
						EC-TEN.....	28	9	121	13	150
PECANS, UNSHLD. (OCT)	156	18	1,082	235	2,045	FRANCE.....	3	-	41	2	58
CANADA.....	25	7	103	115	284	GERMANY, FED. REP	20	-	41	2	41
EC-TEN.....	45	1	414	98	861	UNITED KINGDOM...	5	9	21	9	34
GERMANY, FED. REP	-	-	116	-	270	ITALY.....	-	-	18	-	18
ITALY.....	18	-	224	10	243	OTHER WEST EUROPE.	0	-	1	-	1
UNITED KINGDOM...	20	-	49	59	161	EAST ASIA & PACIF.	3	-	3	21	22
NETHERLANDS.....	5	-	16	25	161	MID. EAST & N. AFR	-	-	-	4	72
OTHER WEST EUROPE.	75	-	538	1	573	ISRAEL.....	-	-	-	-	62
SPAIN.....	75	-	519	-	537	KUWAIT.....	-	-	-	-	10
EAST ASIA & PACIF.	1	-	13	2	27	LAT. AMER., EX CARR	-	11	-	18	1
MID. EAST & N. AFR	10	6	10	6	30	BERMUDA & CARRIB..	-	-	1	0	1
LAT. AMER., EX CARR	-	4	2	13	268	OTHER.....	3	0	4	0	8
NICARAGUA.....	-	-	-	-	200						
MEXICO.....	-	4	-	10	44	ALMONDS, PREP.. (JUL)	2,064	1,247	12,467	10,929	21,281
BERMUDA & CARRIB..	1	-	-	-	1	CANADA.....	65	37	477	492	898
OTHER.....	-	-	-	-	1	EC-TEN.....	1,124	675	7,972	7,253	13,311
						GERMANY, FED. REP	477	291	4,569	3,584	7,021
WALNUTS, UNSHLD (AUG)	1,257	3,572	25,366	34,021	30,876	UNITED KINGDOM...	276	189	1,403	1,138	2,781
CANADA.....	310	273	1,505	1,744	2,104	FRANCE.....	265	113	1,348	1,690	2,436
EC-TEN.....	214	2,219	16,684	22,216	19,808	OTHER WEST EUROPE.	218	101	1,049	875	1,733
GERMANY, FED. REP	-	972	7,239	7,919	9,019	EAST ASIA & PACIF.	481	408	2,300	1,922	4,096
NETHERLANDS.....	56	215	3,747	6,096	4,457	JAPAN.....	386	315	1,693	1,430	2,995
ITALY.....	148	259	3,865	4,026	3,920	MID. EAST & N. AFR	158	21	485	236	901
OTHER WEST EUROPE.	443	889	5,801	9,152	6,847	LAT. AMER., EX CARR	2	1	12	29	35
SPAIN.....	443	847	4,884	7,687	5,907	BERMUDA & CARRIB..	1	0	27	22	30
EAST ASIA & PACIF.	40	86	293	364	771	OTHER.....	15	4	146	99	277
MID. EAST & N. AFR	100	22	323	94	546						
LAT. AMER., EX CARR	145	74	746	465	782	HOPS					
BERMUDA & CARRIB..	6	8	15	8	15						
OTHER.....	-	-	-	-	3	HOPS.....(SEP)	232	291	693	876	2,701
						CANADA.....	123	166	128	170	776
PISTACH, UNSHLD (SEP)	11	189	202	442	611	EC-TEN.....	69	-	135	-	155
CANADA.....	-	17	1	36	58	OTHER WEST EUROPE.	-	-	8	-	8
EC-TEN.....	4	47	69	136	116	EAST ASIA & PACIF.	10	105	114	105	277
FRANCE.....	-	16	26	42	49	JAPAN.....	10	105	101	105	238
ITALY.....	-	6	28	15	28	INDONESIA.....	-	-	11	-	37
UNITED KINGDOM...	-	5	-	14	23	LAT. AMER., EX CARR	13	20	280	590	1,407
OTHER WEST EUROPE.	-	11	11	25	25	BRAZIL.....	8	5	182	307	727
EAST ASIA & PACIF.	-	93	56	205	231	MEXICO.....	-	-	-	267	400
JAPAN.....	-	-	45	17	145	BERMUDA & CARRIB..	11	-	15	11	52
AUSTRALIA.....	-	15	10	48	67	OTHER.....	7	-	14	-	26
MID. EAST & N. AFR	6	5	22	5	53						
LAT. AMER., EX CARR	1	1	5	16	41	HOPS EXTRACT..(SEP)	395	212	1,516	1,352	2,431
OTHER.....	-	17	37	19	86	CANADA.....	-	14	17	25	128
INDIA.....	-	14	30	14	50	EC-TEN.....	55	35	245	236	500
REP SOUTH AFRICA.	-	3	7	4	36	GERMANY, FED. REP	34	17	145	51	206
						NETHERLANDS.....	10	18	27	93	130
ALMONDS, SHLD.. (JUL)	5,741	6,467	32,951	54,249	57,828	BELGIUM LUXEMBOUR	-	-	21	26	91
CANADA.....	129	125	1,756	1,754	3,092	OTHER WEST EUROPE.	-	-	15	3	15
EC-TEN.....	2,560	3,710	15,722	26,019	25,239	EAST ASIA & PACIF.	11	-	22	40	104
GERMANY, FED. REP	1,534	1,981	7,726	15,553	12,082	LAT. AMER., EX CARR	275	137	1,145	1,011	1,504
UNITED KINGDOM...	285	539	3,104	3,197	5,489	COLOMBIA.....	40	-	722	-	722
FRANCE.....	373	634	2,130	3,578	3,749	MEXICO.....	225	101	354	758	420
OTHER WEST EUROPE.	464	539	4,595	6,188	6,900	BERMUDA & CARRIB..	4	-	10	2	25
SWEDEN.....	108	264	1,849	2,435	2,609	OTHER.....	49	26	62	35	156
SWITZERLAND.....	187	151	901	1,102	1,938						
NORWAY.....	95	36	1,261	1,627	1,593	WINE (1000 GALLONS)					
EAST ASIA & PACIF.	1,877	1,498	8,504	8,761	15,783						
JAPAN.....	1,567	1,164	6,444	6,136	12,278	GRAPE WINES... (JAN)	491	350	7,333	5,975	7,333
AUSTRALIA.....	95	125	1,062	1,694	1,958	CANADA.....	246	160	3,614	2,862	3,614
MID. EAST & N. AFR	532	440	1,802	2,456	5,027	EC-TEN.....	67	33	1,649	1,378	1,649
LAT. AMER., EX CARR	124	106	260	359	509	UNITED KINGDOM...	56	25	1,176	1,005	1,176
BERMUDA & CARRIB..	3	2	70	19	111	BELGIUM LUXEMBOUR	6	2	218	187	218
OTHER.....	51	47	242	8,694	1,168	OTHER WEST EUROPE.	8	10	175	129	175
						EAST ASIA & PACIF.	77	68	721	713	721
PECANS, SHLD... (OCT)	24	38	163	163	730	MID. EAST & N. AFR	0	-	8	8	8
CANADA.....	23	16	128	98	475	LAT. AMER., EX CARR	23	6	261	171	261
EC-TEN.....	1	4	31	28	172	BERMUDA & CARRIB..	63	72	873	696	873
GERMANY, FED. REP	1	3	4	4	93	BAHAMAS.....	23	15	231	212	231
UNITED KINGDOM...	-	-	16	3	30	LW & WM ISLANDS..	11	15	164	111	164
NETHERLANDS.....	-	1	-	2	30	NETHL. ANTILLES..	10	19	157	120	157
OTHER WEST EUROPE.	-	18	1	30	38	TRINIDAD TOBAGO..	1	-	141	74	141
EAST ASIA & PACIF.	0	-	2	2	39	OTHER.....	8	1	32	18	32
MID. EAST & N. AFR	-	-	1	2	3						
LAT. AMER., EX CARR	-	1	0	1	1	ESSENTIAL OILS					
BERMUDA & CARRIB..	-	0	0	1	1						
						LEMON OIL.....(NOV)	175	51	292	112	1,171
WALNUTS, SHLD.. (AUG)	483	701	2,646	3,820	5,016	CANADA.....	0	14	1	24	31
CANADA.....	109	16	420	271	643	EC-TEN.....	96	19	120	19	373
EC-TEN.....	52	93	953	1,279	1,310	UNITED KINGDOM...	88	17	88	17	249
NETHERLANDS.....	-	10	458	10	500	NETHERLANDS.....	5	1	10	1	52
GERMANY, FED. REP	29	51	240	490	484	OTHER WEST EUROPE.	1	-	1	-	13
UNITED KINGDOM...	23	12	127	144	172	EAST ASIA & PACIF.	77	16	160	64	668
OTHER WEST EUROPE.	55	169	215	1,006	485	KOREA, REPUBLIC O	0	6	0	6	286
EAST ASIA & PACIF.	148	317	654	978	2,054	AUSTRALIA.....	70	0	140	1	196
JAPAN.....	66	224	278	389	811	JAPAN.....	7	6	10	7	106

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MID. EAST & N. AFR	-	-	-	1	3	OTHER WEST EUROPE.	2	0	3	2	22
LAT. AMER., EX CARR	1	2	10	3	79	EAST ASIA & PACIF.	40	21	66	47	158
BERMUDA & CARRIB.	-	-	-	-	1	JAPAN.....	33	16	58	37	102
OTHER.....	-	0	0	0	3	KOREA, REPUBLIC O	1	0	1	2	17
ORANGE OIL....(NOV)	204	178	323	263	2,010	MID. EAST & N. AFR	1	3	2	4	16
CANADA.....	4	0	4	10	52	LAT. AMER., EX CARR	31	11	43	20	139
EC-TEN.....	42	74	55	112	608	MEXICO.....	1	3	3	5	45
GERMANY, FED. REP	8	2	9	3	231	BRAZIL.....	5	4	11	7	26
NETHERLANDS.....	29	57	30	76	198	ARGENTINA.....	21	-	21	-	21
UNITED KINGDOM....	-	-	3	11	87	COLOMBIA.....	2	1	3	3	18
OTHER WEST EUROPE.	99	17	132	18	282	VENEZUELA.....	1	3	3	3	17
SWITZERLAND.....	99	14	131	14	230	BERMUDA & CARRIB.	-	0	-	0	1
SPAIN.....	-	-	-	-	39	OTHER.....	3	0	4	2	30
EAST ASIA & PACIF.	23	57	66	88	470	SPEARMINT OIL.(NOV)	43	50	62	84	377
JAPAN.....	22	50	55	70	320	CANADA.....	1	1	2	2	20
CHINA (MAINLAND).	-	-	-	-	100	EC-TEN.....	13	14	19	27	184
MID. EAST & N. AFR	-	-	-	-	14	UNITED KINGDOM...	7	10	11	20	91
LAT. AMER., EX CARR	23	20	47	21	476	FRANCE.....	4	2	4	2	30
MEXICO.....	-	18	20	18	401	GERMANY, FED. REP	-	1	1	2	29
BERMUDA & CARRIB.	-	-	-	-	6	OTHER WEST EUROPE.	0	1	0	3	5
OTHER.....	14	10	19	14	101	EAST ASIA & PACIF.	11	30	21	46	120
PEPPERMINT OIL(NOV)	132	80	230	178	911	JAPAN.....	7	22	10	37	81
CANADA.....	3	3	6	4	47	KOREA, REPUBLIC O	3	1	8	1	27
EC-TEN.....	53	41	106	97	500	MID. EAST & N. AFR	0	0	0	0	0
UNITED KINGDOM...	30	15	52	40	236	LAT. AMER., EX CARR	16	1	17	5	42
GERMANY, FED. REP	9	7	19	17	103	MEXICO.....	13	1	14	3	26
NETHERLANDS.....	4	6	9	15	62	BRAZIL.....	2	1	3	2	12
FRANCE.....	4	0	13	0	50	OTHER.....	1	1	2	1	6

SS: SINGLE STRENGTH FC: FROZEN CONCENTRATE FNC: FROZEN, NOT CONCENTRATED SW: SWEET TT: TART  
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FRESH FRUIT & MELOWS						CHILE.....	-	-	168	243	6,589
APPLES.....(JUL)	7,257	7,055	35,744	34,967	104,406	AUSTRALIA.....	-	-	72	693	2,679
CANADA.....	4,682	4,187	24,671	13,060	44,235	REP SOUTH AFRIC	-	-	-	75	1,998
CHILE.....	-	-	274	732	26,082	PINEAPPLES...(JAN)	3,299	4,754	68,346	60,970	68,346
NEW ZEALAND.....	-	-	3,151	5,479	15,003	HONDURAS.....	1,085	2,287	29,037	30,326	29,037
REP SOUTH AFRIC	9	-	3,628	10,825	11,785	MEXICO.....	1,682	1,395	28,760	15,033	28,760
FRANCE.....	2,567	2,869	3,267	4,795	6,281	KIWI FRUIT...(OCT)	8	178	1,214	1,310	5,694
BANANAS.....(JAN)	204,475	143,488	2,444,715	2,577,206	2,444,715	NEW ZEALAND....	8	178	1,174	1,310	5,616
COSTA RICA.....	62,489	21,591	580,809	585,065	580,809	CANNED FRUIT					
HONDURAS.....	31,320	42,490	499,290	537,047	499,290	MANDARINS...(JAN)	2,430	2,915	36,284	44,036	36,284
ECUADOR.....	34,490	27,267	446,241	499,626	446,241	JAPAN.....	1,448	1,309	19,521	19,153	19,521
COLOMBIA.....	41,393	32,831	375,547	468,925	375,547	SPAIN.....	242	909	5,970	12,366	5,970
STRAWBERRIES(OCT)	935	1,610	1,146	2,260	2,875	CHINA (TAIWAN).	168	165	4,779	4,031	4,779
MEXICO.....	723	1,207	735	1,699	1,799	OLIVES..TOTAL(NOV)	5,886	4,610	10,530	8,051	57,731
NEW ZEALAND.....	183	373	358	505	633	SPAIN.....	5,239	4,095	9,648	7,009	50,467
GRAPEFRUIT...(SEP)	58	741	792	2,261	1,299	-BRN,N GR/ RP(NOV)	158	122	193	322	2,500
MEXICO.....	-	386	726	1,428	1,184	GREECE.....	149	103	184	260	1,955
LEMONS.....(AUG)	-	4	1,456	4,034	3,241	-BRN,GR,N RP(NOV)	557	309	933	531	4,468
SPAIN.....	-	-	-	3,023	1,649	SPAIN.....	433	185	786	320	3,376
CHILE.....	-	-	1,209	890	1,209	-BRN,RP,N GR(NOV)	27	9	39	26	1,810
LIMES.....(APR)	2,086	2,350	13,422	16,884	18,940	GREECE.....	23	1	35	18	1,496
MEXICO.....	1,912	2,197	11,032	13,673	15,618	-BRN,RP/GRN.(NOV)	115	135	223	278	1,758
BAHAMAS.....	140	121	1,984	2,630	2,647	SPAIN.....	106	129	211	268	1,621
TANG./MANDAR(NOV)	9,666	4,276	15,322	6,352	17,433	-PITTED/STUF(NOV)	4,889	3,941	8,938	6,703	45,786
MEXICO.....	8,307	3,742	13,954	5,813	15,479	SPAIN.....	4,683	3,781	8,634	6,416	43,400
ORANGES.....(NOV)	1,050	3,775	2,271	5,043	17,448	-PRP/PRS NEC(NOV)	139	94	204	192	1,409
MEXICO.....	467	1,838	1,487	2,037	6,654	GREECE.....	113	72	163	160	1,068
ISRAEL.....	-	-	-	-	5,748	PEACHES, ALL(JUN)	2,331	1,335	3,598	12,633	23,808
DOMINICAN REPUB	7	297	112	1,122	2,066	SPAIN.....	2,105	987	3,226	3,320	8,739
GRAPES.....(OCT)	97	229	283	940	145,691	REP SOUTH AFRIC	216	58	220	4,415	7,912
CHILE.....	0	0	0	573	131,136	GREECE.....	-	72	39	538	3,377
MANGOES.....(JAN)	299	379	39,599	37,087	39,599	PEARS.....(JUN)	-	510	31	1,620	920
MEXICO.....	-	-	32,364	28,578	32,364	CANADA.....	-	-	-	18	563
HAITI.....	291	280	6,194	7,424	6,194	REP SOUTH AFRIC	-	72	-	669	149
CANTALOUPE.(MAY)	1,629	2,810	58,134	48,411	121,611	SPAIN.....	-	424	10	459	104
MEXICO.....	622	987	55,292	44,409	110,589	PINEAPPLES...(JAN)	8,440	12,299	183,669	189,648	183,669
MELONS, OTHER(MAY)	954	1,391	8,679	13,699	39,883	PHILIPPINES....	4,896	7,278	92,873	93,094	92,873
MEXICO.....	114	407	6,362	7,795	18,753	THAILAND.....	1,204	2,911	62,489	69,977	62,489
GUATEMALA.....	635	34	1,505	2,171	7,509	MIX,N TROPIC(JUN)	511	712	3,894	7,669	9,872
CHILE.....	-	-	258	1,672	6,757	MEXICO.....	492	635	3,668	4,362	6,611
WATERMELONS.(APR)	431	1,990	68,127	97,218	99,480	REP SOUTH AFRIC	-	-	-	1,349	1,351
MEXICO.....	431	1,982	68,072	97,073	98,904						
PEARS.....(JUL)	98	238	992	2,086	12,421						

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DRIED FRUIT						ASPARAGUS... (FEB)	328	349	8,975	6,192	9,210
APRICOTS... (JUL)	483	968	2,064	3,593	6,087	MEXICO.....	129	59	8,352	5,438	8,541
TURKEY.....	471	943	1,851	3,341	5,629	CANNED VEGETABLES					
DATES, W/ PITS (SEP)	1,684	48	1,737	154	5,668	PIMIENTOS... (AUG)	299	680	2,395	2,366	7,756
IRAN.....	1,669	-	1,700	-	4,234	SPAIN.....	299	668	2,310	2,340	7,576
PAKISTAN.....	-	26	-	62	744	TOMATO PASTE (JUL)	5,044	3,692	30,982	18,084	81,412
DATES, PITTED (SEP)	72	1,453	609	1,908	4,879	MEXICO.....	869	213	6,246	1,906	24,144
IRAN.....	-	1,302	73	1,425	3,010	PORTUGAL.....	1,438	1,362	7,565	4,939	23,016
IRAQ.....	-	-	-	-	710	ITALY.....	652	1,648	7,055	3,260	9,327
CHINA (MAINLAND)	31	-	438	64	617	TOMATO SAUCE (JUL)	887	896	5,913	5,062	13,551
DRIED FIGS... (SEP)	740	971	2,490	2,496	2,744	ISRAEL.....	646	471	3,898	3,060	9,128
GREECE.....	587	695	2,019	2,079	2,217	SPAIN.....	134	234	324	759	1,773
TURKEY.....	144	255	432	372	487	TOMATOES... (JUL)	12,176	9,962	50,958	45,715	111,189
RAISINS/SULT (AUG)	189	37	1,642	218	2,692	ITALY.....	4,507	3,848	16,390	20,128	37,726
MEXICO.....	157	-	1,491	-	1,884	SPAIN.....	4,230	3,354	15,042	13,559	34,872
REP SOUTH AFRIC	31	33	97	127	372	ISRAEL.....	2,598	2,534	15,176	7,469	23,551
FIG PASTE... (SEP)	57	145	267	173	5,491	ARTICHOKES... (JAN)	948	1,605	13,012	18,153	13,012
SPAIN.....	57	-	113	-	3,207	SPAIN.....	923	1,379	12,801	17,524	12,801
TURKEY.....	-	109	136	119	996	ASPARAGUS... (APR)	210	128	1,083	2,393	1,678
GREECE.....	-	-	-	-	907	CHINA (TAIWAN)	205	109	952	1,738	1,387
FRUIT JUICE 1/ (1,000 LITERS)						MUSHROOMS... (JUL)	2,228	2,068	23,240	30,643	68,848
APPLE/PEAR... (JUL)	49,192	60,113	275,032	360,904	549,529	CHINA (TAIWAN)	897	1,263	10,559	13,579	25,052
ARGENTINA.....	8,113	15,912	90,296	131,492	137,143	CHINA (MAINLAND)	798	253	6,766	7,067	20,229
GERMANY, FED. R	14,512	11,782	61,647	63,649	131,734	HONG KONG.....	195	133	2,829	3,536	9,421
AUSTRIA.....	2,621	3,426	23,743	37,523	52,849	FROZEN VEGETABLES					
SPAIN.....	6,835	4,822	14,054	23,578	47,769	PEAS..... (SEP)	262	489	2,522	4,324	8,296
REP SOUTH AFRIC	2,793	5,586	25,552	30,327	42,678	CANADA.....	110	175	1,322	2,300	3,865
NETHERLANDS...	4,794	6,949	17,805	25,945	35,306	CHINA (TAIWAN)	66	193	352	689	2,976
FCOJ..... (DEC)	116,944	210,020	116,944	210,020	2,019,569	BROCCOLI... (SEP)	1,064	1,463	4,790	7,082	27,376
BRAZIL.....	115,570	204,687	115,570	204,687	1,930,713	MEXICO.....	805	1,124	4,046	5,486	23,652
PINEAP. N CO (JAN)	1,331	561	18,169	17,318	18,169	GUATEMALA.....	258	339	745	1,596	3,696
PHILIPPINES...	1,323	555	17,611	15,239	17,611	CAULIFLOWER (SEP)	1,319	1,906	4,526	7,217	11,295
PINEAP. CONC (JAN)	6,426	8,483	105,290	125,473	105,290	MEXICO.....	1,127	1,745	3,391	6,355	9,537
THAILAND.....	558	1,663	48,742	42,394	48,742	GUATEMALA.....	192	159	1,128	845	1,694
PHILIPPINES...	5,559	5,610	44,747	62,227	44,747	OKRA 3/... (JUL)	230	174	7,339	6,230	9,381
FROZEN FRUIT						DOMINICAN REPUB	127	71	3,939	3,574	4,182
BLUEBERRIES... (JAN)	251	386	4,126	4,850	4,126	GUATEMALA.....	92	49	1,801	693	2,635
CANADA.....	251	386	4,126	4,848	4,126	EL SALVADOR....	-	39	1,168	1,183	2,054
RASPBERRIES... (JAN)	20	78	500	2,172	500	POTATOES... (SEP)	1,149	1,653	3,167	7,936	17,789
NEW ZEALAND....	-	1	194	306	194	CANADA.....	1,149	1,653	3,146	7,916	17,732
CANADA.....	19	60	182	1,321	182	DRIED/DEHDR. VEG.					
UNITED KINGDOM..	-	-	55	181	55	MUSHROOMS... (JAN)	56	80	719	965	719
STRAWBERRIES (DEC)	756	673	756	673	23,186	JAPAN.....	27	35	336	422	336
MEXICO.....	582	476	582	476	19,202	CHILE.....	2	18	143	190	143
POLAND.....	117	197	117	197	2,538	KOREA, REPUBLIC	18	11	95	131	95
FRESH VEGETABLES						CHINA (TAIWAN)	4	6	86	114	86
BEANS 2/... (OCT)	847	1,011	1,155	1,436	11,383	TREE NUTS					
MEXICO.....	739	880	793	912	9,653	COCONUT MEAT (JAN)	3,242	2,680	45,057	39,279	45,057
CABBAGE... (OCT)	176	390	2,182	1,492	65,641	PHILIPPINES...	2,985	2,189	42,347	36,386	42,347
MEXICO.....	8	5	1,259	9	47,082	BRAZILS, UNSH (AUG)	60	50	1,869	2,021	6,365
CANADA.....	164	370	899	1,424	8,684	BRAZIL.....	60	-	1,760	1,956	6,171
NETHERLANDS....	0	-	1	-	8,060	PISTACH, UNSH (AUG)	337	116	1,166	6,243	4,800
CARROTS 2/... (OCT)	11,061	10,025	30,597	35,960	67,889	IRAN.....	294	96	1,041	6,174	4,533
CANADA.....	9,969	8,988	28,610	33,614	62,571	BRAZILS, SHLD (AUG)	337	243	2,221	1,823	4,483
CAULIFLOWER... (OCT)	44	237	2,398	2,019	6,502	PERU.....	181	159	1,525	1,201	3,091
CANADA.....	6	36	2,313	1,799	5,218	CASHEW KRNLS (AUG)	146	81	479	467	875
MEXICO.....	2	177	2	177	1,098	INDIA.....	2,673	2,529	22,273	17,356	42,831
CELERY... (OCT)	2	112	1,616	1,422	3,481	BRAZIL.....	842	1,226	12,391	9,875	22,157
CANADA.....	-	14	1,614	1,312	3,415	FILBERT, SHLD (AUG)	1,200	981	6,615	4,614	13,023
CUCUMBERS... (OCT)	29,093	30,484	34,615	32,924	177,815	TURKEY.....	207	233	611	892	3,607
MEXICO.....	28,073	30,203	33,528	32,446	165,750	ITALY.....	201	230	540	806	2,941
EGGPLANT... (OCT)	2,233	2,324	3,030	2,705	18,295	HOPS (KILOGRAMS)	5	-	5	10	558
MEXICO.....	2,148	2,245	2,878	2,500	17,564	HOPS... (SEP)	108,5708	408,860	1,194,336	504,479	6,713,343
GARLIC... (OCT)	246	454	1,023	1,228	17,001	GERMANY, FED. R	103,5844	381,493	1,038,271	381,493	4,786,134
MEXICO.....	61	29	276	177	13,127	CZECHOSLOVAKIA	18,165	0	18,165	0	1,362,308
ARGENTINA.....	-	-	-	-	2,140	GRAPE WINE					
LETTUCE... (OCT)	784	817	1,048	1,618	14,197	(1,000 LITERS)					
CANADA.....	91	135	313	886	7,460	CHAMPAGNE... (JAN)	6,492	8,217	42,046	56,433	42,046
MEXICO.....	688	674	723	699	6,614	ITALY.....	3,081	4,076	20,714	28,249	20,714
OKRA 2/... (OCT)	478	255	1,027	528	20,905	FRANCE.....	1,704	2,061	9,897	13,845	9,897
MEXICO.....	446	148	963	301	19,929	SPAIN.....	1,525	1,729	9,547	12,349	9,547
ONIONS, NEC. (OCT)	10,137	6,309	15,408	11,848	122,587	TABLE WINE... (JAN)	39,165	41,240	420,568	448,003	420,568
MEXICO.....	7,347	4,268	9,415	7,001	92,572	ITALY.....	21,148	22,000	240,142	238,091	240,142
CANADA.....	2,684	1,883	5,589	4,307	18,625	FRANCE.....	9,216	10,450	84,283	105,501	84,283
PEPPERS... (OCT)	4,143	5,314	8,460	9,033	97,986	GERMANY, FED. R	5,304	5,023	57,018	60,697	57,018
MEXICO.....	3,743	4,899	7,307	7,482	91,264	FT WINE&VERM (JAN)	2,004	1,820	19,098	19,948	19,098
POTATO, SEED. (OCT)	1,109	1,510	1,346	1,715	31,942	ITALY.....	1,038	900	9,562	10,288	9,562
CANADA.....	1,109	1,510	1,346	1,684	31,619	SPAIN.....	831	744	8,006	8,159	8,006
POTATO, TABLE (OCT)	8,991	17,011	30,477	49,555	95,946	CUT FLOWERS					
CANADA.....	8,985	17,001	30,469	49,398	93,943	(1,000 UNITS)					
SQUASH... (OCT)	5,507	7,224	9,367	10,201	59,590	ROSES... (JAN)	9,500	10,340	126,095	158,800	126,095
MEXICO.....	5,477	7,064	9,302	9,878	57,546	COLOMBIA.....	8,052	7,749	98,706	121,522	98,706
TOMATOES... (OCT)	10,808	10,179	45,531	38,187	381,244	CARNATIONS... (JAN)	45,284	58,298	522,909	637,242	522,909
MEXICO.....	10,789	10,128	45,363	37,814	377,127	COLOMBIA.....	44,047	56,919	502,149	611,024	502,149

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